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# PLO Suggests A 2-Stage Exit From Lebanon

By Thomas L. Friedman New York Times Service

BEIRUT - With negotiations for getting the Palestinian fighters out of Berrut stalled over the fact-no other Arab country is willing to take them, the Palestine Liberation Organization has offered to move "temporarily" to northern Leba-non while negotiations for a per-manual solution common a PLO

official said Priday.

Hami Hassen, PLO chairman porary as possible."

Lebanese Premier Shafiq alWazzan told reporters Friday that with the Lebanese government, said in a brief interview the PLO has suggested that in order to bring the Israeli siege of Beirut to a

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peaceful conclusion, the PLO might move its lighters to northern

They could be stationed there temporarily while negotiations with the Lebanese government and Philip C. Habib, the special U.S. envoy, continue over the PLO's future military and political prese m Lebanon, as well as the fighters' ultimate destination. Former Lebanese Premier Saeb

Salam, who has been the key intermediary between Mr., Habiband Mr. Arafat, said he conveyed the suggestion that the PLO move to the north of the country to Mr. Habib Wednesday night, but that the American envoy initially found the idea "cumbersome."

Since then, however, Mr. Salam said, Mr. Habib has shown a willinguess at least to pursue the ideawith Washington, and evidently with the Israelis. It is considered highly unlikely here that the Is-raelis would accept such a proposal, since their negotiating position from the start has been that the PLO must leave Beirut directly for another Arab capital, without any residual military or political pres-

Mr. Salam said he suggested to Mr. Habib that the estimated of 6,000 PLO fighters estimated in West Beiruf by Israeli forces could go to the northern Lebanese fown of Hermil, near the border with to Baalbek, in the eastern Bekaa Valley, where there is a large Pales-tinian refugee camp. Still others could be deployed in the northern Lebanese port of Tripoli, where there are two Palestinian refugee

ence in Lebanon.

controlled by Syrian forces still in Lebanon It was not immediately clear what assurance the PLO might provide that the guerrillas

would not settle permanently in these areas.

Mr. Salam said such a tempo-

rary move would pave the way for a lifting of the siege of West Bearut and a restoration of Lebanese govemmental authority, while a per-manent solution to the PLO problem was hammered out. Asked how long the PLO's temporary presence in northern Lebanon might be, Mr. Salam said "as tem-

the new PLO proposals offered "something which might help us to overcome the obstacles."

While the PLO has expressed a willingness in negotiations with the Lebanese government to transform its presence in Lebanon and possibly transfer its headquarters and some fighters elsewhere, no Arab country has stepped forward to accept them. Syria, the most likely destination and the seat of the PLO's parliament and official beadquarters, reaffirmed Thursday its decision not to accept any PLO fighters from Lebanon.

#### Problems Would Remain

Lebanese government sources noted that even if the question of where the PLO goes is resolved, the issues of how they should get there and what kind of disengagement of forces should, precede their withdrawal remain to be worked out, along with a host of smaller issues, any one of which could hold to the talks again.

[The five-day-old cease-fire, the sixth in the 41-day-old war, held from Finday in and record Pariset.

firm Friday in and around Beirut.
[But witnesses told United Press International that Israeli troops manning roadblocks at the entrances to West Beirut turned away trucks carrying flour, fuel and other supplies, and allowed only a few Red Cross vehicles and diplomats to cross their lines.

Despite periodic relaxations of the Israeli blockade, food, gasoline and medicines remain in short supply. About 10,000 demonstrators marched through West Beirut to Mr. Wazzan's office Friday to demand food.]

JERUSALEM (Reuters) — Several hundred Arabs, mostly youths, staged a rock-throwing demonstration on the Temple Mount Friday to protest the Israeli

-Also, Moslems demonstrated Tripoli, Baalbek and Hermil are outside the U.S. Embassy com-outrolled by Syrian forces still in pounds in Jakarta on Thursday and Dacca, Bangladesh, on Friday to protest what they called U.S.

# Honduras, Nicaragua **Exchange Accusations**

By Richard Halloran New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - Honduras and Nicaragua have accused each other of insugating fighting along

President Roberto Suazo Cordova of Honduras, in Washington on a visit, said Thursday that Nicaragnan troops had crossed into his country and Honduran forces might have driven into Nicaragua to repel the incur-

Nicaragua said Thursday that rightist exiles had crossed the border from Honduras and that 60 rightists and 40 Nicaraguan sol-diers had died in clashes in the last few days. Nicaragua has charged that incursions have been frequent in the past year, though not of the size of this one.

There was no independent confirmation of either account. Honduran military officers visiting Washington with their president also told U.S. officials that they had uncovered the first evidence that Honduran and Nicaraguan leftists had begun building a support network in Honduras to

assist insurgents in El Salvador. Mr. Suzzo, who met Wednesday with President Reagan, said at a news conference that Honduran Army officers telephoned him Wednesday to say that Nicaraguan forces "are causing trouble inside

Honduran territory The Honduran foreign minister, Edgardo Paz Bárnica, said he had no information on where the fighting was. He said a formal protest had been lodged with Nicaragua, and he denied that Honduran forces were helping rightist Nicara-

guan refugees to attack Nicaragua, as the Nicaraguan government has chargen. In related developments, Thomas O. Enders, assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs, told a Senate subcommittee that Mr. Reagan "will certify El Salvador for continued military assistance later this month only if all the congressional requirements are fulfilled. That includes "strong

evidence of land reform," he said.

that would limit economic aid to El Salvador to \$100 million and earmark \$20 million of that for the land program. It was part of a \$350 million bill to help finance Mr. Reagan's economic plan for

Meanwhile U.S. officials said Honduran military officers had told them that government raids on two leftist hideouts in Tegucigalpa, the Honduran capital, had uncovered caches of arms and military equipment destined for leftist msurgents in El Salvador.

The Hondurans also said they had found a clandestine radio station and Marxist propaganda ma-terial after two gunfights with Honduran leftists. A Nicaraguan

was killed in the battle, they said. U.S. military officers in Honduras reported that they had seen some of the captured weapons and material and thought the Hondurant assessment to be accurate, American officials said

The raids turned up the first solid evidence that Honduras was being used as a depot to support the Salvadoran rebels, the U.S. officials said. Previous evidence suggested only that weapons and supplies had been shipped from Ni-caragna across Honduras into E

#### Salvadorans Shell Towns

SAN SALVADOR (AP) — Salvadoran troops on Thursday shelled two towns held by leftist guerrillas in the northern province of Chalatenango near the Honduran border, officials said.

Refugees fleeing the area mostly elderly peasants and children - were beginning to arrive in the provincial capital of Chalatenango City, 45 miles (72 kilometers) northeast of San Salvador, witnesses said.

The two towns shelled by the army, Ojos de Agua and El Carrizal, were seized by rebel forces June 25 in an attack that left 39

government soldiers dead. Military sources in Chalatenango City said troops from two U.S.trained counterinsurgency bat-And the House Foreign Affairs talions were sent to the area to bol-Committee approved a measure ster the local garrison.



Several hundred Iranian Jews carried a sign Friday backing the Palestinian struggle for a homeland. They were taking part in demonstrations in Tehran calling for the destruction of Israel.

### France Denies Pentagon's Charge Of Secret Trade Pact With Russia

By Axel Krause ional Herald Tribune

PARIS - A senior Pentagon official said that France had been restrained from curbing export creda secret protocol with Moscow, but the French government categori-cally denied his statement Friday. The official, who requested that he not be identified, said late

Thursday that members of the Reagan administration were 'stunned" when they learned of the protocol in the spring. He said the agreement signed by

the previous administration of Valery Giscard d'Estaing "pulled the rug out from under" a Reagan administration effort to restrict export credits to the Soviet Union both before and during the Versailles economic summit in June. "They told us of the secret pro-

tocol, but they refused to share its contents," he said. Responding to the reports Fri-day, a spokesman for the External Relations Ministry said, "We categorically deny that a secret

agreement was signed with the USSR." "A financial protocol was conchided with that country in 1980. Its details were communicated to

the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and, as a consequence, to the United States," he said. The spokesman said that the

French government found it "distressing that a personality requiring anonymity, but described as responsible, could spread allegations

Supporting the government denials. Jean François Deniau, who was minister of foreign trade under Mr. Giscard d'Estaing in 1980, said the U.S. allegations "were not serious."

Mr. Denian added that France always notifies trade partners of export credit rates, to conform to the rules of the European Economic Community and the OECD, under whose auspices export credits are monitored.

Senior officials in the govern-ment of President François Mitterrand and U.S. diplomatic officials said the incident would further strain tensions between Paris and Washington. "Our relations with Washington are already being strained; this latest incident certainly will not help in the discussions and differences over East-West trade," a French official said. French officials and U.S. diplomats said, however, that the inci-dent probably would have little impact on substantive and controversial East-West issues now being discussed between EEC nations and Washington, including European participation in building the

Siberian gas pipeline. The Pentagon official, in his statements Thursday, said the gov-

ernment was unable to find out "full details" of the agreement. According to other officials interviewed Friday, the broad outlines and some terms of the credit agreement were explained orally to

administration officials during a visit to Paris in May by James L. Buckley, undersecretary of state. But senior administration officials insisted on seeing a text of the agreement, and the French flatly refused, a participant said. "The U.S. side was primarily thinking of escape clauses and other possible

deviations from the consensus." he "We told them what was in the agreement but saw no reason to provide a text. The U.S. government usually does not give us copies of their agreements," a French official said Friday.

The Finance Ministry in a state-ment also issued Friday said that the five-year credit agreement with February, 1980, and that it conformed to the OECD's consensus rates and terms prevailing at that time. It emphasized that they were recently tightened, notably with re-gard to the Soviet Union, East Germany and Czechoslovakia.

French government officials said that there were no plans to protest the incident in Washing-"We do not want this to become a polemic," one said.

# Tehran Says Iraqi Jets Attack Prayer Center, School Deep in Iran

LONDON - Iran reported that Iraqi jets struck a Moslem prayer center deep inside western Iran Friday, killing 30 persons and wounding 200 in the city of Hamadan, and leveled a school in the western city of Islamabad, killing two and injuring 30.

There were no new reports of ground action in the main battle area of Basra, Iraq's second largest city and Gulf port. The Iranians say they are entrenched near Basra, but Iraq says the area was "purged" of Iranian invaders in heavy fighting Wednesday and Thursday.

Iraq has said that two Iranian divisions were destroyed and 4,733 Iranians killed when Iraqi forces closed an "iron grip" defense around Basra and forced the Iranians to flee across their border.

#### No Confirmation

Iranian communiqués carried Friday by Radio Tehran, monitored in London, said, however, that Iranian forces killed or wounded 600 Iraqi troops, cap-tured 791 and knocked out 48 tanks in defeating a counteroffensive to Tuesday's Iranian invasion.

The rival reports could not be independently confirmed because the two nations ban foreign correspondents from the front.

In Washington, a U.S. official who asked not to be identified said, "The Iraqis are not doing too badly. The Iranians are not mak-ing the progress some had predict-ed."

tration official said Friday that the United States is prepared to hold joint military exercises with Gulf oil-producing nations possibly threatened by the war.

In Nicosia on Friday, Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati of Iran ruled out any discussion of the war with his Iraqi counterpart at a conference of nonaligned na-

At the same time, Mr. Velayati said Iran was not insisting on the downfall of President Saddam Hussein of Iraq as the price of calling off its invasion.

Mr. Velayari said at a news conference that the overthrow of Mr. Hussein was "a mere suggestion that Iraqis should rise and topple a corrupt fascist regime if they want to regain their glory." Previous Ira-nian statements have indicated that such an overthrow was part of the Iranian price for peace.

Hamadan, about 180 miles (288 kilometers) southwest of the Iranian capital, was attacked in two waves Friday, Iran's news agency

#### **Tehran Marchers**

Radio Tehran said Iraqi planes also attacked the cities of Kermanshah, Ilam and Abadan. Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, Iran's revolutionary patriarch, pledged Friday to continue the war and criticized conservative Arab states for supporting Iraq. He vowed that his forces would topple

the Iraqi regime and "liberate Jerusalem."

reached by telephone said thou-sands of Ayatoliah's Khomeini supporters marched through the capital, burned an effigy of Prime Minister Menachem Begin of Israel and chanted pro-Palestinian slo-

Iran has reported that its troops advanced 12 miles into Iraq in the invasion but Iraq conceded only a six-mile thrust, which it says was

U.S. intelligence sources in Washington said Friday that the Iranians were believed to have driven six to 10 miles into Iraq before the Iraqi resistance stiffened. The sources said the Iranians are now believed to hold a line about a mile or two inside Iraq while the Iraqis are dug in north and east of

Analysts said it appeared the Iranians might be preparing to move south toward Basra from a

relatively quiet sector. Information reaching Washing-ton indicates that the Iraqis, who suffered humiliating reverses in recent months in the war with Iran, are putting up a stronger fight than they had earlier, according to U.S. sources.

In talking about the possible joint maneuvers in the Gulf, the official told reporters at the State Department: "There certainly is a deep concern about the air and sea strike capability of Iran against Gulf countries. The official said there has been

no request "at this stage" for a U.S. military presence in the area.

#### INSIDE ■ Banco Ambrosiano's trou-

bles deepened as a number of banks followed the lead of two in Britain in declaring the debt-ridden Italian bank in default on more than \$170 miltion in loans.

■ Montparnasse in the 1920s and 1930s — Waverley Root continues his memoirs with the first of three articles about Robert McAlmon, who regarded by some - but not Root — as a better writer than Ernest Hemingway. Page 5W.

#### To Our Readers

In response to reader re-quests, the Herald Tribune's Weekend section will appear each Friday, rather than in the Saturday-Sunday paper, beginning next week.

At the same time, Week-

end's coverage of travel and tourism will be expanded to The art and auction pages, now part of Weekend, will continue to appear in the Sat-

urday-Sunday paper. In other changes starting next week, the Insights page, which has been a Thursday feature, will move to Wednesday, and the Science page, which has been appearing Fri-day, will move to Thursday.

These changes are prompted not only by reader requests but also by our wish to enhance feature coverage and provide special fare for each day of the week.

### Reagan Seen Favoring Grain Pact Extension pires on Sept. 30, on his stringent

By Howell Raines New York I trues Service

WASHINGTON — President Reagan's advisers believe he is leaning toward a short-term extension of the agreement to sell grain to the Soviet Union, but administration officials said he has made no commitment on the issue in recent meetings with his Cabinet and with Republican congressional

[Agriculture Secretary John R. Block said after a meeting of the National Security Council at the White House on Friday that Mr. Reagan has made no decision on the issue, Reuters reported. Asked why no decision was made, Mr. Block said that the session "was just a briefing" and that it covered a wide range of issues.]

Rep. Robert H. Michel of Illi-

nois, the House minority leader. said on Thursday he and other Republicans from agricultural areas urged the president to consider a one-year extension as a compromise between the desire of farmers for a new grain sale agreement and Mr. Reagan's policy of imposing economic sanctions on the Soviet Union until Moscow acts to ease tension in Poland.

Mr. Reagan heard the arguments on the issue during a Cabinet meeting Thursday afternoon. Mr. Reagan was said to be weighing the impact of an extension of the current agreement, which expolicy toward the Soviet Union's "The president is torn between

wanting to hold the Russians' feet to the fire and going with the farmbecause he knows their plight," an administration official

Farm interests, supported by Mr. Block, regard a one-year extension of the agreement, which commits the Soviet Union to buy 6 million metric tons of U.S. wheat and corn annually, as the minimum step necessary to help the depressed U.S. agricultural economy. Farm interests prefer negotiation of a new, more generous agreement or a one- or two-year extension with an increased minimumpurchase requirement for the Rus-

The president is being warned that flat refusal either to negotiate a new agreement or extend the current one will damage his populariand the chances of Republican candidates in the 1982 congressional elections.
But, as Rep. Michel noted, an-

ger at Soviet action in Poland and Afghanistan is a strong factor in Mr. Reagan's thinking. "The president is pretty obstinate and strong on that," he said, "He's the commander in chief and eventually it's going to be his call." Even so, Republican congress-

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## Checker Cabs Go Out Not With a Rattle or Bang but a Corporate Hush

By Iver Peterson New York Times Service

KALAMAZOO, Mich. - The Checker cab has died here of the antomobile industry's lingering illness, and some of America's bigcity legroom began to die with it. The last of the big slab-sided

taxis rolled off the assembly line at the Checker Motors Corp. here Monday afternoon. Thousands of durable examples of the cab will still be pounding potholes in New York, Chicago, Cleveland, Pittsburgh and other major cities for years to come.

But unless another oversized taxi comes along, the demise of the Checker signals the beginning of the end for hats-on in cabs, fiveon-a-fare, infants riding in strollers in cabs and children fighting to sit on the immo seats:

#### Fuel Costs Are a Factor

The rising cost of fuel, the high cost of borrowing capital to mod-ernize Checker's 25-year-old design and the refusal of Checker Corp. workers to grant the kinds of concessions won by Ford and General Motors from their workers contributed to the death of the Checker, according to automotive

powered cabs put on city streets by

ory of 1950s styling standards, of-fers a special lift to the urban spir-It was the Checker's endearing bulk which resulted in the company's mability to tool up for a more efficient model; that eventually killed it, analysts say. Its mileage could not compete with the fuel efficiency of smaller cabs and diesel-

cost-conscious fleet operators. The purchase price of a Checker was slightly more than \$9,000.

No announcement of the demise was made, and the end came behind a veil of corporate secrecy befitting the passing of a giant in a land of midgets.

Indeed, it took a corporate source quoted by The Kalamazoo Gazette and a brief conversation with a Checker worker describing himself as a fitter to confirm that the cab, long rumored to be in de-cline, would be made no more.

"Yeah, it's down," the fitter said, using the word that describes an assembly line that has been stopped. He would not give his name, he said, because he had rights to "bump" workers with less semiority in the layoffs that will follow the halt of production. "I still have to go to work in there,"

during rush hour in midtown Manhattan or on Michigan Avenue in In those places, the sight of an on-duty Checker pulling over to the curb, its face a mongrel mem-

The end of the country's only

specialty taxicab is viewed differ-

ently here than it would be, say,

But in Kalamazoo, where there are Checker cabs but where most people drive their own cars, the loss of the cab line will be more painful than a case of cramped



A classic Checker taxi prowling for a fare on Eighth Avenue in New York. About the only thing that has changed in the appearance of the Checker over the decades is the rates on the door.

knees. About 190 workers will lose their jobs in the midst of a severe economic recession, according to statements made by corporate officers earlier. More than 300 men and women had already been laid off as the market for the big cabs

The death of the taxi-making arm of the company, which was formed in 1922, was foreshadowed last winter when corporate officers asked employees for contract con-

The corporation argued that pay and work-rule concessions granted

Ford and General Motors by the United Automobile Workers at that time had put the company at a "tremendous disadvantage" in competition for supplying parts to the automobile industry. The union, Local 682 of the Allied Industrial Workers, refused to make

out the attempt by the concern to win concessions, and they did not return telephone messages left On April 7, the corporation sent

letters to its 800 employees saying it "will phase out the taxicab manfacturing operation," adding that "at this time, there are no plans for future automobile manufacturing at the Kalamazoo facility.

#### Lighter-Weight Model

Just a year ago, the cab company unveiled plans for a lighterweight car, offering roominess and comfort along with a degree of economy that was impossible to achieve with the two-ton models that have been produced with few major changes for 25 years. But these plans were tabled as Checker sales dipped to 2,939 last year from the peak sales of more than 5,000 yearly in the 1960s and

The company produced nearly 3,200 cabs last year, up slightly from the year before. But it lost \$3 million on the taxi-making line, the company said in its letter to employees announcing the shutdown. The corporation reported a net loss for 1981 of \$448,326.

The corporation's remaining 600 employees at the plant here will continue to turn out parts for the automobile industry, and the concern will continue its subsidiary operations, including a bus compa-ny in New York City and taxi fleets in Chicago and Pittsburgh.

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Officials said the notification came in a letter signed by Deputy Secretary of State Walter J. Stoes-

The officials said the letter contained the stock phrase, "U.S. arms may have been used in viola-tion of the terms of U.S. law," which restricts the use of such weapons to internal security or self-defense.

#### White House Com

The Deputy White Pruse press secretary, Larry M. Speakes, said the letter was sent to congressional leaders and the appropriate House and Senate committees, but added, "the letter is classified, so we can't comment on the content of it."

"If you don't find substantial violations, then you don't send a letter," Mr. Speakes said. He said the letter was secret because of the sensitivity of the negotiations in

"may have" been violated is unlikely to lead to a cutoff of U.S. arms to Israel. That determination could be made by Congress, where Israel has been harshly criticized for its invasion of Lebanon.

The controversy centers in large part on whether Israel used U.S.-supplied cluster bombs, which emit shrapnel-like projectiles on Rep. Paul Findley, Republican of Illinois and a member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, said the letter did not specifically

address the cluster-bomb issue and called it "too little, too late." "I will be surprised if this letter has any effect upon the behavior of the state of Israel," said Rep. Findley, who is a leading congressional supporter of the Palestinian

He said, "it pains me greatly that our government has done nothing to rebuke, punish or restrain Israel because of its extensive use of cluster bombs.

Prime Minister Menachem Begin of Israel, during a stormy session on Capitol Hill on his visit in

The determination that the law answers when asked whether the weapons had been used. Israeli military officials unoffi-

cially have acknowledged that cluster bombs were used. On Thursday, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State Wat T. Cluver-ius indicated that the administration was waiting for more informa-tion from the Israeli government before deciding whether the arms agreement was violated.

Mr. Cluverius made the comments in answer to questions from the House Foreign Affairs Com-mittee chairman, Clement J. Za-blocki, Democrat of Wisconsin, who chaired a hearing on Israeli use of U.S. military equipment. Rep. Lee H. Hamilton, Demo

crat of Indiana, chairman of the House European and Middle East subcommittee, said he did not understand how it could take the administration six weeks to deter-mine if Israel violated the Arms

Export Control Act.
Mr. Cluverius would not comment when asked if there was a U.S.-Israeli agreement restricting the use of cluster bombs. He said the United States had asked Israel not to use cluster bombs for anything but defensive purposes.



James Michel, left, a State Department legal adviser, talked to Wat T. Cluverius, a deputy assistant secretary of state, at a congressional hearing on Israeli use of U.S. arms in Lebanon

### Crisis in Lebanon Reveals Limits on Arab and Israeli Power From Tripoli to Damascus, Lack of Unity Is Apparent

#### World, Domestic Criticism Forces Begin to Waiver

By David B. Ottaway

Washington Post Service '
JERUSALEM — Only a few weeks ago, Israel was in a state of near euphoria, thinking it was on the verge of achieving its most prized objective — the destruction of the Palestine Liberation Organization as a military threat and as a political force in the Middle East.

The government also believed it had the backing or at least acquiescence, of the Reagan administration in accomplishing its goal by military means.

Today, the possibility of achieving the goal is slipping from Isra-el's grasp, and the fate of the Palestinian guerrillas trapped in West Beirut has become a well-publicized international drama.

"It appears that the grace period that Israel enjoyed and the oppor-tunity to extract the maximum pobenefit from operation Peace for Galilee have come to their end," said the independent daily Ma'ariv in an editorial Wednesdav.

#### PLO 'Scores Points'

In fact, the PLO, if anything, seems to be reaping benefits from

"They did score points and we know we are paying a price for this waiting," said one Israeli official briefing foreign correspondents in Jerusalem. He said the Palestinians were building anti-Israeli feeling as well as "an image of martyrs and of savage Israeli persecution."

In the past week, PLO political rector Farouk Kaddoumi has Some U.S. Jews Express Dissent Over Invasion director Farouk Kaddoumi bas been received for the first time by a British government minister, and Thursday he met with French President François Mitterrand as part of an Arab League delegation touring Europe to discuss Leba-

George P. Shultz, the newly appointed U.S. secretary of state, at his Senate confirmation hearings said that "the legitimate needs and problems" of the Palestinians must be resolved "urgently and in all their dimensions,

The changing attitude of Prime Minister Menachen Begin's gov-ernment toward the Lebanese crisis is striking. It can be seen in the tone of statements by officials, particularly the Cabinet's well-known "hawks," and in the debate among Israel's highly vocal political commentators and newspapers.

Mr. Begin, uncompromising in the early weeks of the invasion, is now cautioning Israelis to behave "with good sense and patience."

Defense Minister Ariel Sharon. the outspoken architect of the Lebanese operation, until recently threatened a full-scale assault on West Beinut almost daily, but now he is talking about the merit of negotiations and the need to use "po-litical means" to drive the PLO from the city.

He told a parliamentary committee Thursday that there were three considerations against a mili- this month in support of the Peace Now movetary thrust into the city - casual- ment in Israel, founded in 1977 to oppose ex-

casualties and the adverse effect it would have on Israel's relations with the United States.

Foreign Minister Yitzhak Shamir, after weeks of warning that time was running out on nego-

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tiations, said Wednesday night that Israel was "giving time and opportunity" to Philip C. Habib, U.S. envoy to the Middle East, to achieve the evacuation of the PLO

guerrillas peacefully.

The Israeli media reported this week that the key factor in the new "flexibility" of the Begin government was a stern letter from President Reagan last week. Mr. Reagan was quoted as having warned Mr. Begin that a military assault on West Beirut would "grievously affect our bilateral re-

That his letter has had a sobering impact on government thinking here was made clear by a com-ment Wednesday by Mordechai Zapori, minister of communications, who said Israel, in deciding whether to enter West Beirut, had to consider "not only the military price but the price of antagonizing the United States. This price is much higher than several weeks

Other considerations, both foreign and domestic, are in the bal- Beirut"

creasing evidence of dissent.

By Paul L. Montgomery

NEW YORK - Although the Israeli govern-

ment and major U.S. Jewish organizations in-

sist that virtually all Jews in the United States

support the invasion of Lebanon, there is in-

ways been to support Israel and rally around

the flag," said Leonard Fein, the editor of

Moment, the largest independent magazine of Jewish interests in the United States. "The problem is that the flag now is in a suburb of

Beirut, and that's a long way to go for a rally."

The 5.9 million Jews in the United States

constitute the largest Jewish population in the world — there are only 3.1 million in Israel —

and there is no quick way of determining their

feelings. Only a minority are actively involved in synagogues or other Jewish groups and even

those do not necessarily agree with the leaders.

The situation is very troubling to the con-

science, said Hans Jonas, a 79-year-old profes-

sor of philosophy at the New School for Social Research in New York and a Zionist since his

youth in Germany. "The official Jewish organ-izations cannot bring themselves to say this,

but in the rank and file I can assure you there

is a feeling of disgust, of shame. I know rabbis

who feel exactly as I do who cannot express it

because their congregations would be up in

Ad for Peace Now

Mr. Jonas, who fought as an artillery lieu-tenant in Israel's 1948 war of independence, was among 67 American Jewish scholars, writ-ers and rabbis who signed an advertisement

"Our powerful communal disposition has al-

ties among Israeli troops, civilian ance as well. The media Thursday reported the government was taking into account pressures from Egypt and the possibility that West European countries might impose sanctions on Israel if it carries out a full-scale assault on West Beirut

> The leftist Mapan political par-ty distributed a leaflet questioning the whole invasion and charging that it was "based on the groundless assumption that it is possible to destroy the PLO by military means. An operation intended to achieve this goal is an impossible

> mission." Wednesday it was reported that Abraham Burg, 27, son of Interior Minister Josef Burg, was one of three reserve officers who met with Mr. Begin recently to discuss their opposition to the war and urge him to halt it.

A similar plea came Thursday in the Labor confederation newspaper, Davar. Its editor-in-chief Hannah Zemer complained in an editorial of the "horribly simplistic" way of thinking of the government's leaders who thought military means alone could solve the Palestinian problem.

"No action will put an end to terror. No action will solve any other problems we have," she write. She began her editorial with an emotional plea to Mr. Begin: "Don't send our boys into West

#### By Thomas L. Friedman

New York Times Service BEIRUT — A deep political malaise has transformed the cohesive and powerful Arab world of 1973. The heartland of the Arahs. now finds itself between two wars and threatened by two of the region's non-Arab powers -- Israel and Iran.

Given the profound divisions among the individual Arab nations, their military impotence and their almost total lack of quality leadership, that vulnerability is not going to be a transient phenome-

The absence of a charismatic and substantial figure — in the mold of Gamal Abdel Nasser of Egypt - capable of leading the Arab countries out of their predicament has never been more appar-

ent than in the past two months.

The last time the Palestine Liberation Organization faced a threat to its existence was in September, 1970, during the Jordanian civil war. Then it was President Nasser who virtually ordered other Arab leaders to fly to Cairo for a meeting to deal with the crisis. Even his rival, King Faisal of Saudi Arabia, was there.
Today, however, far from join-

ing to save Iraq from the Iranian invaders, or the PLO from the Israelis, the Arab leaders have been fighting one another all the more. Col. Moamer Qadhafi of Libya,

cated national self-determination for Palestini-

ans. It also asked this question of American

Israel to speak out critically about those Israeli

policies we know to be mistaken, self-defeating, and contrary to the original Zionist vi-

Among signers were writers Saul Bellow,

E.L. Doctorow, Alfred Kazin and Irving Howe, and scholars Meyer Schapiro, Daniel

Bell, Nathan Glazer and Seymour Martin Lip-

Norman Podhoretz, the editor of Commen-

tary magazine and perhaps the most unbending supporter of Israel among secular intellec-tuals, said most of the dissidents are people

who showed little concern for Israel in the

dissenting is offensive to me," he added. "They say it takes courage, but if anything it takes courage to support Israel in certain circles."

Much Uncertainty

the exclamation points are being bent now into question marks," said Rabbi Balfour Brickner

of the Stephen Wise Free Synagogue in Man-hattan, who signed the Peace Now ad.

the dissent is unrepresentative.

In the view of many Jewish groups, however,

"Don't get me wrong — nobody is celebrat-

ing — but I find American Jews really quite unified on this question," said Rabbi Joseph B. Glaser, executive vice president of the Central

Conference of American Rabbis, a Reform

body with a membership of 1,400. "Those

Many found a mood of uncertainty. "All of

"The way people congratulate themselves in

"Is it not time for us as supporters of

ite throne, not only did not lift a finger on behalf of Yasser Arafat, with whom he has had a long-standing feud, but he also called on Mr. Arafat and his guerrillas to commit suicide so that their

the great pretender to the Nasser-

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blood could rekindle the Arab revolution.

When it came to the war with Iran. Saudi Arabia and the other oil-producing countries were prepared to throw \$24 billion into Iraq's war effort, but never any of their own men.

They were ready to fight to the last Iraqi, just as they now appear ready to fight the Israelis in Lebanon to the last Lebanese, Syrian or Palestinian.

The military weakness of the Arabs is due to a variety of factors. Egypt had provided leadership for the Arabs, but once it was removed from the Middle East equation, after the signing of the Camp David accords, the core group of Arab nations was left highly exposed. Individually, none was strong

enough to stand up alone against such tightly organized, homogeneous and highly motivated armies as those of Iran and Israel. At the same time, they proved to be incapable of collective security.

But there was a deeper military

### pansionism and reliance on military solutions. sounding off most shrilly are the same old The advertisement expressed grave misgivings over the invasion of Lebanon and it advodown the line."

Some think the opinions of Jews might be closely related to the views of Americans as a whole. A poll frequently cited was taken by CBS News on June 26 and 27 among 985 voting-age Americans. It showed that twice as many people thought the United States should give its "strongest support to Israel" as be-lieved that it "should pay more attention to the demands of the Arabs.

#### Evenly Split Poll

However, of the 76 percent of the respondents who had heard of the fighting in Lebanon, 34 percent said Israel had been right in its attack while 38 percent said Israel was wrong; 28 percent chose neither side.

No large U.S. organization has come out against the Israeli action. Murray Wood of the Los Angeles Jewish Federation said last week that he had a letter from a benefactor stopping contributions, but they were few and far be-

"I can't perceive we have the division that you read about on the East Coast, and the more that division is portrayed as being a reality, the more it will give the PLO incentive to hold on. It's a dangerous situation," said Mr.

Rabbi Brickner rejected this argument. "Everybody knows the PLO has been completely humiliated," he said. "To say we are helping them is the kind of argument that's trying to make everybody march in lockstep. It's 'My country right or wrong,' but I've never adopted that for America and I'll be damned if I'll

sad of Syria, preservation of the re-gime against internal threats takes precedence over everything. If military preparedness has to be sacrificed so that loyal supporters of the regime are put in sensitive posts, that is what is done.

inferior.

primary reason was that the Syrian regime in recent years had made a decision to recruit pilots almost exclusively from among the nation's minority Alawite sect, which makes up only about 10 percent of the country's mainly Sunni Moslem population.

Mr. al-Assad is an Alawite, as

How was Iraq able to bungle the tremendous military advantages it had against Iran?

with a reasonable meritocracy?

The Iraqi Army, by contrast, is commanded by Lt. Gen. Adnan Khairallah, who happens to be a cousin of President Hussein, Maybe the general also happens to be the most able military leader in iraq. But maybe not.

# **Former Executive**

VILLANOVA, Pa. — The former chairman of Lockheed Aircraft Corp., Courtlandt S. Gross, his wife and a housekeeper were found shot to death Friday in an apparent triple murder at their mansion in suburban Philadelphia. Mr. Gross, 77, his wife, Alexandra, 72, and Catherine Vander-

died instantly, the coroner said. Mr. Gross retired from Lockheed in 1967. He became in-

problem as well, which relates to the question of leadership. Unlike Israel - and even Iran in its own way - many of the Arab countries are dominated today by men who came to power by force of arms. They will stop at nothing to stay

For President Saddam Hussein of Iraq or President Hatez al-As-

How was it that Israeli pilots were able to claim they shot down 101 Syrian fighter planes, without losing one of their own? Sovietmade aircraft are simply not that

Arab diplomatic sources said a

are almost all key figures in his government and army. After sever-Sunni Moslem pilots defected with their planes to Jordan and Iraq as expressions of political op-position, Mr. al-Assad apparently decided to depend on the small pool of Alawite talent for his air

function as a professional army

## Of Lockheed Slain

Veur, 69, a widow who had been living in the mansion, apparently

volved with the company in 1932 when his brother, Robert, bought it. Courtland Gross directed negotiations with Britain that led to the sale of 250 Lockheed bombers on the eve of World War II.

### money and stock were not personal assets but came from followers who wanted him to hold the valuables in trust for church purposes. Moscow Ends Direct Dialing to West MOSCOW — Western countries complained Friday to the Soviet Union about the abolition of direct telephone dialing to the West, which

Rev. Moon Gets 18-Month Jail Term

NEW YORK — The Rev. Sun Myung Moon, founder and leader of the Unification Church, was sentenced Friday to 18 months in prison and a \$25,000 fine for tax evasion. Mr. Moon could have been sentenced it

U.S. District Judge Gerard N. Goettel said he decided on a prison

term "despite eloquent pleas for leniency" because a suspended sentence would be severely criticized by the public, Mr. Moon's \$250,000 personal

would be severely criticized by the public, Mr. Moon's \$2.70,000 personal recognizance bond was extended, pending appeal.

Mr. Moon, 62, was convicted of conspiring to evade taxes from 1973 to 1975 on about \$112,000 in interest earned on personal bank accounts; of failing to report \$50,000 in shares he received in a profit-making venture; and of filing false returns. Mr. Moon had claimed that the

to up to 14 years in prison.

took effect Thursday. Diplomatic sources said a representative of Denmark had asked the Soviet Foreign Ministry for an explanation of the cutoff. The Danish diplomat said the halt in direct dialing, which was introduced into Moscow two years ago for the Olympics, would affect foreign embassies

businessmen and journalists. Diplomats said Austria also complained Friday and other European states might follow suit. Some Western countries were told that the number of phone connections with the Soviet Union would be cur July I, but they were not on that date. Direct calls from the West to Moscow were still possible Priday, and direct dialling from Moscow to Eastern Europe appeared to be unaffected.

#### British Rail Stiffens Dismissal Threat

LONDON - British Rail, backing up its threat to fire 20,000 striking train engineers, said Friday that it was ready to begin hiring and training their replacements if the strikers do not return to work by Tuesday. Officials said it would take three to six months to train new engineers and they warned Britons that in the meantime they would be without nationwide rail service.

The strike by the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers was in its 13th day with railroad officials serving notice that they were ready to use the same tactics as President Reagan did to break last summers strike by U.S. air-traffic controllers. Meanwhile, Britain's powerful Trades Union Congress met to consider a request by the engineers union for "tangible" assistance in their dispute with railroad officials over

### Britain Plans Palace Security Officer

LONDON - A high-ranking police officer, equivalent to brigadia general in the army, will be appointed to improve security at Bucking ham Palace and other royal residences following the entry of a prowler into Queen Elizabeth II's bedroom, government sources said Friday.

Home Secretary William Whitelaw will make a full statement to Parliament Wednesday, disclosing all available information about the incident and announcing plans to tighten palace security, the sources said.

Mr. Whitelaw will also release a report listing past security breaches at the palace and steps taken to deal with them.

Cyril Hunt, the 27-year-veteran police sergeant who was on duty in the

palace on the night of the incident, has been suspended while his conduct is investigated and two plainclothes officers have been transferred to unformed duty elsewhere.

#### Chinese Hints at Wider Reunification

PEKING - A high-ranking Chinese leader indicated Friday that a clause in China's new draft constitution provides a legal basis for the reunification of China with not only Taiwan but also with Hong Kong and Macao.

The Chinese press agency quoted Peng Zhen, a senior Polithuro member, as saying that China's "compatriots" in Taiwan, Hong Kong and the Portuguese colony of Macao should all engage in a thorough discussion of the draft, which was first published in April.

The clause states that China may set up special administrative regions operating under different laws from the rest of the country, which would refer to non-Communist systems. The clause has been seen as relevant to 😓 Taiwan, but Mr. Peng's statement made it clear that it could equally pertain to Macao and the British colony of Hong Kong.

Compiled From Agency Dispatches

### Does it have something to do with the fact that, although the Iranians purged their armed forces, they allowed what remained to Seen in Polish Shuffle

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches
WARSAW -- Stefan Olszowski,
a hard-liner on the Communist Party Central Committee, quit his post unexpectedly Friday amid a major party leadership shuffle that appears to strengthen the grip of Poland's martial law ruler, Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski.

The press agency PAP said that Mr. Olszowski, who was responsible for ideology and media, resigned from the Secretariat but retained his post on the ruling Politburo.

Mr. Olszowski had been considered as a major contender for the party leadership. His resignation came as several other prominent party officials resigned and several party members were moved to the top party ranks.

The leadership changes in the Politburo, the policy-making Cen-tral Committee and the Secretariat, which runs the party apparatus, are the most extensive since martial law was imposed Dec. 13.

The unexpected resignations of Mr. Olszowski, Central Committee member Hieronym Kubiak and Politburo member Jan Labecki came at the end of a two-day meet-

to problems of youth. . . The leadership changes recalled the turbulent party meetings last year during the labor criss sparked by the birth of the supended Solidarity independent

trade union during the shipyard strikes in Gdansk in August, 1980. Among those who rose to power during that period were Mr. La-becki, the party chief in the Gdansk shipyards, and Mr. Kn-biak, a liberal from Krakow who ran the column and scientific ap-

The press agency said Mr. Kubiak retained his post on the Polit-

ршто. Another Central Committee member who resigned Marian Wozniak, was made a full member of the Polithuro, as was Stanislaw Kallous, a newcomer who is a fore man in the Cegiclesia works in Poznan, in western poland, where scores died during 1956 rioting.
The additions of Mr. Wozniak.

who was elected Warsaw party chief in June, and the election of the Gdansk party chief, Stanislaw Beiger, as an alternate member of the Politburo appears to strength-en Gen. Jaruzelski's rule, some observers said.

Prior to the leadership change the two-day Central Committee had been largely uneventful.

Earlier Friday, Poland's interior minister, Gen. Czesław Kindziak, was reported by a magazine to have said that martial law saidinaties granted 1,058 passports, to people who had been interned and their families. But he added in an interview published in the weekly Polityka, that only 21 internes had left the country because of "reluctance of consulates of Western countries to grant visas." the two-day Central Committee

in an interview to be released Sunday in the U.S. magazine Parade, Gen. Jaruzelski, said the U.S. government's economic sanctions have forced Poland closer to the Soviet Union. He also said that martial law

will not end soon, but will be re-laxed gradually, and that the quick release of Solidarity independent trade union leader Lech Walesa and other interned union members and other interned many would mean catastrophe. The government's policy, the general said, is-to relax martial law and release prisoners gradually and seek to improve the economy and win credi-bility among the Polish people.

United Press Interestional

NAIRORI—Two university lecturers. Edward Oying and Kamoji
Wachira, have been arrested,
bringing to 11 the manber of
prominent Kenyans detained in a
monthlong political crackdown.

Kenyan Lecturers Arrested

#### Reagan Seen Favoring Grain Sale (Continued from Page 1)

men from agricultural areas were apparently not timid Thursday in reminding Mr. Reagan that farm-ers supported him beavily in 1980, largely because he promised to lift former President Carter's embargo on grain sales to the Russians.

The Republican representatives all argued for a long-term ex-tension," said a participant in Thursday's meeting with the con-gressmen. Later, Cabinet officials statistical report issued Friday, in-dicating that the drought-hit crop warned the president that if he allowed the grain sale agreement to lapse altogether, Congress might respond with a farm ballout bill that could disrupt the budget. Rep. Michel hinted that Repub-

licans in Congress were probably but the grain figure, which has naive to expect Mr. Reagan to ennaive to expect Mr. Reagan to en-dorse negotiations for a new agree-ment. "By the same token," he added, "we could have some lever-

Russia Silent on Harvest

age if there were simply an exten-sion for a year."

MOSCOW (Reuters) - The Soviet Union omitted figures on the 1981 grain harvest from an annual

was seriously below target.

The report listed other agricultural production totals first pub-

lished in the press five months ago,

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not appear.

Unofficial Soviet and Western estimates of the crop range from 150 million to 175 million metric tons, compared with a target of almost 240 million tons.

### West Java Volcano Erupts

The Associated Press
JAKARTA — New eruptions of the Mount Galunggung volcano in West Java has damged hundreds of homes, school buildings and other structures, officials in the city of Bandung said Friday. The volcano has been erupting intermittently since April 5.

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### Soviet Aide Sees Danger in Reagan Foreign Policy

MOSCOW — A senior Soviet expert on the United States accused the Reagan administration Friday of "playing with fire" in its foreign policy but held out hope of an im-provement in East-West relations. Georgi A. Arbatov, head of the Soviet Institute for the United States and Canadian Studies, said President Reagan had caused dismay in the Soviet bloc and among Washington's allies since he took office 18 months ago. His remarks were carried in Pravda.

"The course of confrontation between the United States and the

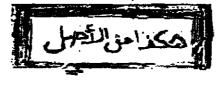
Soviet Union is creating an atmos-phere, an international situation

#### that favors the outbreak and the deepening of conflicts. This is playing with fire and it is danger-ous for all, including the instigator," he said.

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OATH OF OFFICE - George P. Shultz, with President Reagan at his side, was sworn in Friday as secretary of state by Attorney General William French Smith in the White House Rose Garden. Mr. Shultz's nomination was unanimously confirmed by the Senate Thursday.



## Critics Say U.S. Agency Misinterpreted Data on Soviet Rise in Imports

By Robert D. Hershey Ir. New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - In asserting that the Soviet Union has become more vulnerable to economic sanctions, the U.S. government has misinterpreted its own data, various outside trade specialists assert.

Despite such criticism, however, the authors of the U.S. Census Bureau report said they are not un-happy with the official interpretation that their work suggests greater Soviet vulnerability.

The critics of the Reagan administration's interpretation, expressing dismay about what they called the politicization of high-quality study of the Soviet economy, said the Census Bureau director overreached to stretch findings of ternational trade into a compara-ble rules rability to economic pressure from abroad.

"That's a heroic leap in logic," asserted John P. Hardt, associate director of the Congressional Research Service and a specialist in Soviet economic affairs. He noted that the Census Bureau study, ex-carpts of which were published on Monday, did not directly deal with the issue of vulnerability.

Another critic Edward A. Hewett of the Brookings Institu-tion, declared, I think the num-bers are right but the interpreta-tion is far fetched. He called it he dicross for the Census Bureau director, Bruce Chapman, to portray

#### Peruvian Leader Slain By Rebels, Reports Say

United Press Inter LIMA - Guerrillas killed a district governor in an attack on a small Andean village on Thursday, news rejorts said, in violence that has left five policemen and five others dead within the past two

The guerrilla attacks have prompted Peru's civilian government to consider restoration of the death penalty. Police in Lima refused to confirm or deny radio and television reports from the area that the assailants killed Senon Palomino Flores, 53, the district governor in Cayara, 50 miles (80 kilometers) south of Ayacucho in the central Andean highthe Soviet Union as significantly more vulnerable to sanctions than

The Reagan administration has imposed, and recently tightened, sauctions against the Soviet Union in an effort exert pressure for liberalization in Poland as well as to hamper construction of a natural gas pipeline from Siberia to West-em Europe.

The anthors of the Census burean study insist that whether sanctions should be imposed is a policy question to be made by others. The report doesn't suggest there should be trade sanctions, but it's safe to say it shows the vulnerability," Mr. Chapman com-

"I don't think right now he's been trying to take it too much fur-ther," said Barry L. Kostinsky, a Census Bureau employee who wrote the study with Dr. Vladimir G. Treml, a Duke University pro-

evening that "increased depend ence on imports means increased vulnerability. The House Foreign Relations

Dr. Treml asserted Wednesday

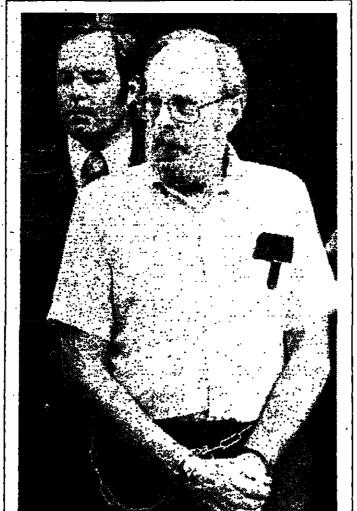
Committee was reported ready. Wednesday to conduct hearings on

The critics insist there is a vast gulf between dependence on foreign trade - the study declares Soviet dependence to be two to three times greater than previously be-lieved by Western analysts — and the practical effects of trade lever-

The interpretation is really unrealistic," maintained Jan Vanous, a specialist at Wharton Econometric Forecasting Associates. While praising the quality of the research work, Mr. Vanous held that the study does not even provide reliable information about the degree of Soviet trade dependence, since the best measure of dependence, he said, is not the ratio of exports or imports to national income.

Among the Census Bureau findings is that the ratio of imports to Soviet national income more than doubled during the 1970s and imported machinery comprises from 15 percent to 20 percent of all new equipment.

Theoretical assessment of Soviet economic dependency "is no easier than it was a decade ago," Mr.



WHITE'S ASSAILANT — Newton C. Estes was escorted from court in Salt Lake City, Utah, after saying at his arraignment that he struck U.S. Supreme Court Justice Byron White on Thursday "to get my views heard" against busing and pornography. Justice White was undurt.

#### U.S. Atlantic Fleet Trims Operations To Save Money as Fiscal Year Wanes

NORFOLK, Va. -- The U.S. Atlantic Fleet has called off a naval exercise, postponed a second and cut back on other operations because it is running out of money to operate ships in the last three months of the fiscal year, according to Navy officials.

The lack of funds to buy fuel has been caused by a large increase in operations throughout the year in the Mediterranean, the

Atlantic and the Indian Ocean. Although senior officials with the Atlantic Fleet stopped short of saying ships will have to remain in port, they say certain measures have been taken to ensure there will be enough funds to operate the fleet through September.

A four-week exercise involving 12 ships in the western Atlantic and the Caribbean has been canceled. Another series of maneuvers involving 30 ships in the Caribbean has been postponed until after Oct. I, the beginning of fiscal 1983. Also, all nonessential port visits by ships have been stopped.

### Rare Disease **Afflicts More** U.S. Groups

Ailment First Detected In Homosexual Men.

> By Philip J. Hilts Washington Post Service

ATLANTA - Another group of victims has been hit by one of the most unusual diseases ever recorded in the United States, a type of immune-system breakdown that started among homosexual men but now continues to spread to new populations across the country, according to doctors at the Centers for Disease Control here.

The agency announced Thursday that persons with the blood disorder hemophilia are now also vulnerable to the puzzling, and often fatal, ailment. The announcement came a week after the federal agency reported scores of new cases among Haitian refugees in the United States.

The disease, which agency offi-cials have said is reaching epidemic proportions, is unlike any other reported in medical history. As of July 8, it had killed more than 177 of its 452 identified victims.

There is no name for the syndrome, which is characterized as immunosuppression. Scientists have described the disease as a breakdown of the body's immune system, with victims contracting many diseases typical of persons whose immune system has failed. The leading killers among those

diseases are a type of skin cancer called Kaposi's Sarcoma and a deadly pneumonia called pneumocystis carinii. Both diseases are normally quite rare, but they are now appearing in the population at several hundred times their expected rate.

"The number of cases is increasing, and the proportion of cases among people who are not homosexuals is also increasing," said Dr. Harold Jaffe, one of the leaders of the agency's task force against the disease. "Until about June we were getting reports of cases at the rate of about five or more per week. In the last six weeks, we have been

getting 15 to 20 cases per week."

Last year nearly all the reported victims of the disease were homosexual men. Investigators suspected that an immune-suppressing drug or chemical that may have been in common use among homosexuals was the cause. But there are now 10 to 20 victims, men and women, who are not homosexual and seem otherwise healthy and

### U.S. Democrats Want Equal Time To Counter Ad on Social Security

By Bill Peterson

WASHINGTON - Contending that Republicans used "the big lie technique" in a television advertisement on Social Security, Democrats have countered with a commercial of their own, and asked stations to air it free of

charge. The 30-second Democratic ad features scissors clipping away at a Social Security card as a voice accuses Republicans of repeatedly trying to cut benefits. "It isn't fair," the voice concludes. "It's Republican.

Republican ad in which a whitehaired mail carrier delivers Social Security checks containing an automatic 7.4 percent cost-of-living The checks, the Republican ad claims, show President Reagan

The ad is in direct response to a

part of a \$10-million election year campaign.
The ad outrages Democrats.
House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill

kept his promise. It is now being

shown around the United States as

Jr., Democrat of Massachusetts,

distributed a fact sheet Thursday pointing out that cost-of-living increases are mandated by law and that the Reagan administration proposed cutting Social Security benefits three times during the past two years.

"Small children caught with their hand in the cookie jar come with more believable stories than the Democrats have done in their latest attempt to rewrite history," said William Greener, director of communications for the Republican National Committee, in a prepared statement.

Democratic leaders said Thursday that they have no money to counter the Republican commercial, but they urged television sta-tions either to refuse the Republican ad or provide free time for their commercial.

"The Democratic Party cannot match dollar for dollar the Republican media buy, nor will it at-tempt to match them lie for lie," declared Rep. Tony Coelho, Democrat of California, who is chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee. "If sional Campaign Committee. the Republican Party wants this

election to be decided by television commercials, so be it."

Opinion polls taken for both parties have found a widespread feeling of distrust among voters of Mr. Reagan's intentions on Social Security, and the Republican ad is apparently an attempt to neutral-

#### Scissors Slash

Democrats regard Social Securi-ty as one of their most promising issues. The voice on the Democrat-

ic ad says, as scissors slash:

"The Republicans all say they believe a Social Security ... Look at what key do.

"In 1921 they tried to cut cost-of-living ricesses by \$60 killion.

of-living increases by \$60 billion over 10 years. In 1982 they said either increase Social Security taxes or cut \$40 billion to help balance the budget. When are they going to stop? Not until it hurts.'

The U.S. Postal Service has complained that the use of a mail carrier in the ad represents an apparent violation of the U.S. Codeand of the Hatch Act, which prohibits federal employees from taking part in partisan activity.

### General's Grip Is Firm 🗄 After Guatemala Coup

By Raymond Bonner

GUATEMALA CITY - Four months after being swept into power by a coup he did not plan, Gen. José Efrain Ríos Montt is firmly in control in Guatemala. He has dissolved a three-man junta. named himself president and, un-der a state of siege imposed earlier this month, suspended many civil

policies is difficult to assess, since freedom of expression was one of the constitutional guarantees suspended. But in interviews and casual conversations this week, Guatemalans, especially among the urban middle class, said that their lives under the state of siege were no worse than they had been under the regime of Gen. Fernando Romeo Lucas Garcia, who was deposed in March.

#### Insurgency Intensified

siege," Gen. Ríos Montt said in an interview Tuesday. A leftist-led, predominantly In-

the past year, with rebel forces frequently occupying villages and operating in northern and western Gen. Rios Montt said that he

thought the guerrillas would be de-feated by December and that the

Under the state of siege, too, press censorship prohibits the dissemination of news that "may cause confusion" or reporting anything about the civil war except what the government says. And special three-man military

courts appointed by the president have the power to try persons sus-

## pected of violating the state of siege and criminal laws. Among the sentences these courts can im-

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ers, said that the state of siege was

necessary to bring his govern-ment's conduct within "the frame-

The Constitution was operative

during the Lucas government,

Gen. Rios Montt noted in the in-

terview, but still "a lot of people were killed and bodies appeared in

Describing Gen. Rios Montt as "fanatic" and "messianic," a busi-

ness leader, nonetheless, said that

businessmen were generally happy with the situation. He said that re-

strictions on meetings had not been applied to business groups.

"He is absolutely honest," a

'Not Killing Us'

After the coup, Gen. Rios Montt began meeting with politi-

racy. He has discontinued those

talks, but, as one political leader

said this week, "at least, they are not killing us." During the Lucas

regime, more than 100 Christian

Democrats were assassinated.
"What worries me most," this

the streets and on the highways."

there will not be any."

work of law."

New York Times Service

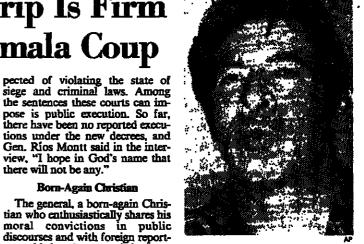
The extent of opposition to his

All political and union activity is prohibited, and private gatherings are permissible only if they have been approved by the defense minister, Gen. Ríos Montt. Also, the military authorities can detain anyone suspected of "disturbing the public order," houses can be searched without a warrant and travel is restricted.

dian insurgency has intensified in

state of siege would probably be lifted at that time, if not sooner.

In the meantime, he has the power to "militarize all services and activities" and to requisition private vehicles, including planes. Already, all former soldiers between the ages of 18 and 30 have been called to active duty.



Gen. José Efrain Rios Montt

politician said, "is that the army is lling all the Indians they find," Roman Catholic priests, foreign diplomats and many Guatemalans

say that the killing of the Indians, who make up 60 percent of the population, has increased since the



#### physician said of the Guatemalan leader. This judgment is often ex-pressed here. There were wide-Other Pilots at New Orleans Had Problem With Takeoff spread reports of corruption in the Investigators are still trying to Lucas administration. and crashed after about 30 seconds "If there is subversion, then at determine precise weather condileast there needs to be a state of

By John Burgess

off from New Orleans about five area of suburban Kenner, La.
minutes before the Pan American The Republic crew's n World Airways jet that crashed last Friday said that their plane encountered severe winds on the runway and that its stall-warning de-vice activated at liftoff, a National Transportation Safety Board spokesman reported.

Crew members of Republic Flight 632 to Memphis told board investigators that as they moved away from the airport, they radioed a message to air controllers. about the strong winds on the runway but not about the stall warn-

Investigators said that it is not clear how, if at all, controllers in the tower at New Orleans International Airport followed up the pi-lots' radioed warning or whether it was heard by Pan Am Flight 759, which was preparing for takeoff on another runway at the time.

Pan Am's fully loaded Boeing 727 took off shortly about five minutes after the Republic plane to fly out of them.

in the air, killing 146 crew mem-WASHINGTON — Pilots of a bers and passengers and eight per-Republic Airlines DC-9 that took - sons on the ground in a residential The Republic crew's report

Severe Winds Preceded Jet Crash

could support the theory now dominant among investigators that "wind shear," violent changes in wind speed and direction, played a major role in the crash. Stalls occur when air is moving

oward over a plane's wings as if the aircraft were losing altitude That can happen when wind speed or direction changes suddenly.

A stalling plane is actually falling out of the air, and commercial

jets are equipped with "stick shakers," devices that rattle the main control stick to warn pilots that the plane will stall if speed is not increased. Pilots say activation of the stick shaker, as happened aboard the Republic DC-9, is unusual and serious, especially at low altitudes where a plane has little chance to recover from any loss of control. Two pilots interviewed Thursday night said they had experienced stick shakes but were able

tions at the time of the Pan Am Twice within minutes before the

plane took off, wind shear detection devices operated by the airport had picked up signs of the dangerous condition. These warnings were broadcast over two frequencies, investigators say, but it remains unclear whether the Pan Am crew heard them.

The pilot and co-pilot of the Republic jet told investigators they took off heading south. About one-third of the way down the runway, they said, they ran into sheets of rain. Then they noticed unusual fluctuation in the plane's air speed, which may have been caused by rapid changes in the speed or di-rection of air around the plane.

As the pilot put the plane's nose up for liftoff, the stick shaker sounded. But they got off the ground and after that the plane climbed normally. Shortly after-ward, the pilots sent a brief message back to the tower saying they had encountered wind shear on the



Phyllis McCullers, wife of the pilot of the Pan Am jet that crashed near New Orleans, at his funeral in Vero Beach, Fla.

# Japanese Group Says Chun Regime

Korean theology student has charged at his arson trial in the southern city of Pusan that authorities tortured him in order to fabricate an indictment falsely depicting him as a Communist sympath-

The case of the defendant, Moon Boo Shik, is cited here by a Japanese church publication in a report charging that torture is in-creasingly used by South Korean "investigative and prison officials" against political detainees.

modern Korean history," said the latest issue of Korea Communiqué, a magazine published by the Japan Emergency Christian Conference on Korean Problems, an affiliate of the Japanese National Council of Churches. The conference's staff is composed of Japanese and Americans.

ed in virtually every instance of TOKYO - A 23-year-old South political detentions in recent years, spanning the transfer" of power from President Park Chung Hee's "increasingly repressive rule" to that of the current president, Chun Doo Hwan.

Church spokesmen and some newspapers in South Korea has also denounced the use of torture, but not so outspokenly and with such detail as the Japanese church publication. Government-controlled South

Korean newspapers have assailed Mr. Moon and the 15 other defendants in the Pusan trial, charging that they pursued Communist causes. The papers also accused the Korean Roman Catholic Church of backing supporters of the aims of North Korea.

Mr. Moon went on trial June 14 on charges of setting fire to the American Cultural Center in Pusan in March. One person was killed and three were injured in the blaze, which was said to have caused \$200,000 in damage.

The defendant has admitted set-ting the fire. He has been quoted as saying that he did so to protest what he viewed as U.S. support for Mr. Chun. But the 13-page indict-ment also accused Mr. Moon and his wife, Kim Un Suk, of being Communist sympathizers bent on the violent overthrow of the South Korean leader. Government spokesmen in

Seoul denied that police had used torture in the case. Torture Reported

But Mr. Moon testified at the

trial that the pro-Communist state-ments attributed to him had been obtained through torture, saying investigators forced water down his throat and then kicked his swollen stomach.

Two other defendants testifying on the same day said they also had been forced to give self-incriminat-ing statements, but they did not say what methods had been used.

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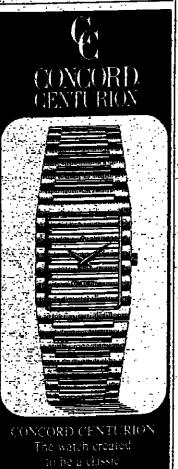
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## Michael Blankfort Dies; Wrote Novels, Scripts

LOS ANGELES — Michael fered when h Blankfort. 74, a New York-born of his home. novelist, playwright and screenwriter, died Tuesday in Los



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Exceptional Man" in 1980, Many of the novels dealt with the clash of traditional Jewish values with modernity.

Mr. Blankfort graduated from the University of Pennsylvania and moved to Los Angeles in 1937,

where he became a screenwriter. From 1942 to 1945 he served as a captain in the U.S. Marine Corps, writing training films. He returned to Hollywood to write such films as "Broken Arrow" and "Tribute to a Bad Man," and was co-writer of the screenplay for "The Caine

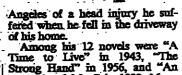
the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences.

Patrick Dewaere PARIS (IHT) - Patrick Dewacre, 36, one of France's most popular film personalities, was found dead in his apartment from

a bullet wound in the head Friday, police said.

Mr. Dewaere, from a theatrical family, gained fame in France with his acting in the film "Valseuses." He often portrayed drifters and lost souls such as in "Adieu Poulet" (Good-bye Cop), "Hotel des Ameriques" and "Mille Mil-hards de Dollars" (A Thousand Billion Dollars).

Patricia Brinton ELBA, Italy (IHT) — Patricia International Herald Tribune's ed-Brinton, 56, died at her summer itorial writer.



Patrick Dewaere

home here Friday from cancer. She was married to the Yugoslav writer Komnen Becirovic: He had served as an officer of Miss Brinton had a distinthe National Writers Guild and guished career as a performer on European concert and opera stages and as a teacher in Vienna and

Howard Strickling

LOS ANGELES (LAT) Howard Strickling, 82, the publicist who created the image of many of Hollywood's biggest stars, died here Wednesday.

Jo-Ann Price

NEW YORK (IHT) - Jo-Ann

Price, 57, former religion editor of The New York Herald Tribune and a correspondent for the Na-tional Catholic News Service, died here of cancer Thursday night Miss Price, a native of Calgary. Canada, was the wife of Harry Bachr, who retired in 1976 as the

### **Increasingly Tortures Detainees** By Henry Scott Stokes said torture had been "document-

New York Times Service

The use of torture today is, if anything, more systematic and brutal than at any previous time in

The magazine, dated June 15,

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LA BOUTIQUE DANOISE

President Reagan's campaign against the Soviet gas pipeline has every attribute of bad policy. It will not prevent construction of the line; at most it can only cause a limited delay.

The West German banks have now formally extended the loans. The Soviets will get the

pipe. Western Europe will get the gas. The United States will get the losing end of a rancorous and divisive quarrel with its friends.

That quarrel gives the Soviets an unexpect-

ed dividend in the pipeline deal. The United States has gone well beyond the conventional

limits of an embargo. Mr. Reagan is trying to

apply it retroactively, voiding sales that were

perfectly legal when they were made. Worse, he is trying to reach across national borders to impose U.S. law on foreign companies

through their American owners or through li-

censes to American technology. The Europeans, Japanese and Canadians consider this

to be a challenge not only to their foreign

policies but to their sovereignty.

American presidents before Mr. Reagan

have tried it, and there is a long history -

of which the White House seems serenely unaware — of outrage in other capitals. In a press conference last week, Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau acidly ob-

served that Europeans can see in the pipeline case why Canada has been taking extraordi-

nary steps to protect its sovereignty. Canadi-

ans point out that the United States wants its

From THE NEW YORK TIMES:
When should pilots fly in bad weather?
Two alerts of hazardous winds were broad-

cast by the New Orleans airport tower in the

10 minutes before the Pan American World

Airways plane took off on its short, disastrous flight last Friday. If the crew were lis-

marginal weather conditions? Who should decide whether the weather is flyable?

A guiding principle of the present air traf-fic safety system is that the man in the

cockpit makes the decisions. The principle

warrants re-examination.

Most pilots correctly decide not to take off

if they have any doubts about safety. The

Why do pilots take off in what seem to be

tening, they should have heard them.

courageously in many cases, yes, but not well in any traditional mili-tary sense. The PLO's resistance

was neither properly planned nor professionally executed. The PLO did not protect its civilians, and it effectively lost its command

structure in a matter of hours.

Even today, with Israel's awesome war machine on Beirut's door-

step, the PLO guerrillas represent not much more than a shattered de-

fensive force waiting to die — a force whose fate is being negotiated

by U.S. statesmen who do not even recognize the existence of the PLO.

It is, though, precisely because of this untenable position that Arafat has been able to prolong the war,

sending mixed signals over what

concessions he will or will not make and raising his demands at the 11th hour in an attempt to exact some

political victories from the jaws

Given a choice between death

of military defeat.

staff and the black looseleaf books they habitually prepare. It is, moreover, not enough to be a spokesman, reciting a brief prepared by others. The key is the ability to interpret the public interest in the midst of convoversy through an informed and objective understanding of the issues."

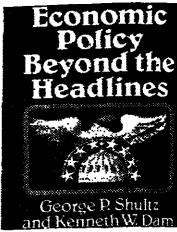
The New York Times.

### Studying The Book On Shultz

By Charles Mohr

WASHINGTON — George P. Shultz recalled in a 1977 book that perhaps the most important words he spoke in six years of governwords he spoke in six years of government service were, "Do nothing." He gave that order as secretary of the Treasury to the commissioner of internal revenue when the latter told him in 1972 that President Nixon's counsel, John Dean, had asked the IRS to begin investigating people who were later to become famous as the White House "enemies list."

Mr. Shultz, who resigned from government in May, 1974, unsullied by the Watergate scandal, indicates in "Economic Policy Beyond the Headlines" that while rectitude dictated that decision, he believes generally in



the concept of masterly maction propounded by Lord Melbourne, the 19th-century British prime minister.

The book — co-authored by Ken

neth W. Dam, an academic and governmental colleague of Mr. Shultz — said that one of the most difficult problems for the makers of economic policy is "finding ways to 'do nothing while waiting for the lagged effects of actions already initiated to work their way through the market process." At a number of other points, the book stresses the wisdom of trying to ignore "virtually irresisti-ble pressures for 'action."

A platoon of journalists was searching out copies of the 226-page Schultz-Dam book late last week at

\$4.95 the paperbound copy.

In recent years, while serving as president of Bechtel Corp., Mr. Shultz has remained professor of management and public policy at the Stanford University graduate school of business. While the book focuses on economic policy, much of it dwells on his more general views about government, policy-makers and the na-ture of U.S. institutions.

Some things stand out:

The book appears to be quite free of partisanship. Although Mr. Shultz deplores what he calls advocacy" government and the "balkan-ization" of institutions by officials in the legislative and executive branches who tend to represent parochial interests, he hardly mentions parties and seems to allocate blame among both

been opposed. By the standards of other memoirists, however, Mr.

• While he does not care to tilt at

windmills, he seems like the man to

work with if one wished eventually to

dismantle all windmills. He pro-

pounds a theory that almost anything

can be accomplished if one can manage to make the problem seem to be "politically unimportant." This sounds rather like a variation of

George C. Marshall's remark that one

can accomplish aimost anything if

someone else gets the credit.

Some of the views stated in the book seem to bear directly on the du-

ties Mr. Shultz will soon face in the

State Department. He says that the value of good personal relationships "will in fact deteriorate if one of the

representatives gives way to the temp-tation to sacrifice the interests he

represents in order to preserve good relations. This point is fundamental

in any negotiation."

He says the French "simply do not give way" in negotiations in order to

maintain good relations, and adds. "It is a good lesson for everyone."

On "Work and Homework," he

wrote that in government as elsewhere what makes the difference is homework—the long hours with the staff and the black looseled books

Schultz is most self-effacing.

liberals and conservatives. Signs of a Shultz ego are hard to describe a whirtwind series of dinners and meetings in September, 1975, in which, at President Ford's request, he met West German, British, French and Japanese leaders and got agreement for the first of what have become annual economic summit con-ferences, even though the national bureaucracies of all the countries had

relations, therefore. If they improved, the Russians might well let larger numbers of Jews leave. Another view is that Washington should negotiate explicit commitments on emigration when giving Moscow something it - as the Reagan administration did not do when lifting the U.S. grain embargo in 1981.

said. "Well," he replied, "if it's not all that I think, I'll try to improve it." The New York Times.

#### but its rejection served to delay furthey are not religious zealots. They ther what seems to be a certainty—that the PLO has lost its home in fight for their own name, not Allah's. Still, they consider their ebanon and must leave. Israel finds itself in much the po-The war also has dragged on be-cause of the Arab world's mability sition America did in Vietnam. It to reach a consensus and its unwill-ingness to offer the PLO assistance;

has the muscle to finish the job if the only solution it wants is a military one. But in the quicksand of Middle East affairs, a political solution imposed by force is no more lasting than yesterday's promises.

The United States thought it could bomb the Viet Cong into sub-

took some pleasure in derailing the negotiations last week with its re-fusal to accept any PLO guerrillas

who leave Lebanon. Syria may reverse itself if the price is right,

postman for Israel in the early mission and the Viet Cong are still there today to prove the theory wrong. Israel is learning a similar About the only concrete Arab suggestion to end the war came from Libya's Moamer Qadhafi, who lesson here with the Palestinians, in called on the PLO to commit suicalled on the PLU to commit surcide in order to create a generation
of martyrs. Syria and Kuwait
voiced similar statements, couched
in slightly less blunt terms, by urging the Palestinians to stay and war that for the first time has made Israel an offensive power. Like all wars, this one was easier to start than it is to end. Like most

wars, this one was built on a faulty premise: that bombs alone could fight to the last man. achieve a lasting political solution. Syria, annoyed because it had been ignored in the peace process,

guerrillas seem quite prepared to die rather than accept a dishonor-

able defeat. Unlike the Iranians,

and because Washington refuses di-

rect dialogue with the PLO, a posi-

tion that appeared to make the United States little more than a

cause no less sacred.

stages of negotiations.

### and surrender, Arafat has nothing to lose by trying to hold on for the best deal possible, and he and his Contrary to a popular thesis in Beirut, the PLO did not fight well; Arafat: 'Palestine for You and for Us'

Politics Upset a Blitz Timetable

By David Lamb

TEL AVIV — I had been asking to interview Yasser Arafat since I first met Said Hamami, the PLO representative in London, eight years ago. "The time is not ripe," was the standard answer. Now, in the private apartment of one of his assistants, I met him.

BEIRUT — When Israel invaded Lebanon on June 6, the Begin government expected to achieve its military objectives in less than a

week with Israeli casualties of no

more than 100. Western intelligence sources say. By this weekend, after more than a month, Israel's dead and wounded had passed 1,300, ci-vilian casualties had soared far be-

yand 10,000 by some estimates, and there was no clear settlement in sight, despite weeks of nonstop ne-

Israel could have had — and can still have — its military victory if Beirut's fate is decided by generals

and not politicians. There is no one, including the PLO leader, Yasser Arafat, who has any illusions about

what the results of an Israeli assault

But Israel appears to have un-derestimated the political resolve

and military tenacity of the PLO, and in doing so it set an unrealistic

timetable, believing it would solve

in a couple of weeks a problem that

has been fermenting for 34 years.

gotiations. What went wrong?

on the capital would be.

He is very different from his television image informal, friendly and soft-spoken. We talked for two and a half hours.

The interview was quite clearly a signal to the Israelis. The old slogans were still there, but the message was unequivocal: Peace now is possible.

Mahmoud Labadi, a PLO spokesman, was also present. Here are excerpts from the conversation: Avnery: I think this war happened because the great majority of Israelis, who I think are basically peace-loving people, have become convinced by our official propaganda that the PLO does

not really want peace.

Arafat: The PLO? You know, it is not so. We have declared our approval for the American-Soviet communiqué in October, 1977. [It pro-posed a reconvened Geneva conference to safeguard the existence of Israel and the right of the Palestinians; it brought strong Israeli objections and was overtaken by events when President Anwar Sadat visited Jerusalem the next month.] We have declared our approval and appreciation for President Brezhnev's initiative [of last year].

Avnery: The Brezhnev initiative says the security of all states in the area, including Israel,

MOSCOW — The patriarch of Soviet refuseniks — Jews who have been refused permission to emi-

grate — is Alexander Y. Lerner. A

distinguished scientist now 69, Dr.

Lerner has been trying to leave for Israel since 1971. Like others who ap-

ply for exit visas, he lost his job at

once. He has been harassed by the

police. His wife died a year ago, and the authorities would not let her body

By now one might expect Lerner to

treatment. On the contrary, a visitor

meeting him finds a man of extraor-

he taken to Israel.

By Uri Avnery The writer is publisher of the Israeli weekly Haolam Hazeh and a leader of the Sheli Party. He was a member of the Knesset

until 1973 and again from 1977 to 1981. which it explicitly mentions, will be safeguarded.

Arafat: You see, when we have said O.K. to this initiative, this means that we accepted all its items. We said that it is a good platform for a peaceful settlement, for a just solution in the Middle East. So we gave many signals that we are looking for peace.

Labadi: Mr. Avnery has proposed in 1970 a federation of Semitic peoples, a Semitic union.

Arafat: Inshallah. [If God wills it.]

Avnery: You see, I believe that in the end, after everything is finished, there should be an Israeli state and a Palestinian state, with its capital

in East Jerusalem, and a general regional organization unifying all Arab states and Israel together in one economic and political union.

Arafat: Abba Eban proposes a Beneiux. Yes.

Avnery: If there is a chance for an honorable.

move, where do you think it is possible to go? Avnery: I mean tomorrow, not next year. Arafat: To Palestine. It is my right... You think that you have the right to go there and I

to my homeland. Avnery: When you say Palestine, what do you Arafat: For all of us? All Palestine. For

have no right to come back? I am a human being, too. Where to, except my homeland? I want to go

you and for us. Avnery: Together, you mean?
Arafat: Together, why not?
Avnery: You don't mean a separate state for

then two separate states.

the Palestinians? Arafat: You know our famous slogan: a democratic secular state. If this is not the solution,

Avnery: About what part of Palestine are you talking for the Palestinian state?

Arafat: We are ready to live in any part of Palestine from which the Israelis withdraw or which will be liberated.

Avnery: In practice, this means the West Bank and the Gaza Strip? Arafat: Any part.

Avnery: Does that mean peace, real peace?

Arafat: Yes, it does, It's not the Palestinians. it's the Israelis who don't want it. And yet, the Jews should know better than anyone else that even it they succeed in annihilating half a milion Palestinians in Lebanon, 4 million will remain elsewhere and carry on. Can Israel fight forever? Where will it be in 10, 20, 50 years? 01982, Ury Amery.

#### to resist the wage erosion caused by the over-supply of pilots. In the air they must have full command. But there may prove to be problem arises in those rare instances when human factors cause a pilot to call a close decision the wrong way. Pilots work under sound reason for taking this on-the-ground decision out of their hands.

**Deciding When Not to Fly** 

Herald International Cribune
Published With The New York Times and The Washington Post

Reagan's Pipeline Blunder

terms as locally owned companies, yet it also

occasionally wants the right to use them as instruments of foreign policy and to impose American law regardless of any conflict with the host country's law. Canada is currently screening all new foreign investment and im-

posing discriminatory rules on foreign - that

territorial control is cumulative, and as the

Canadian reaction shows it can be highly damaging to-American business abroad. But,

even more dangerous, these American claims

strengthen all of the protectionist tendencies in governments abroad. They give those

countries reasons not to allow American

technology and American investment in the

crucial sectors since, as the argument goes, you can never tell when the United States

will try to use them to push you into line

with American foreign policy.
You have probably seen the forecasts of another huge American grain harvest and another disastrous one in Russia. Of course the

United States is going to continue selling grain to the Soviets — and in a big way. As long as the United States sells wheat to the

Soviets, Europeans will deride American efforts to disrupt their trade with the East.

hardly in the same class with the most sensi-

wherever they are going and the natural tend-

ency to assume that conditions are adequate if planes ahead are taking off safely.

The decision to take off in bad weather

might better be made in the control tower, by a trained pilot assisted by a meteorologist.

He could focus on safety and weather with-

out distraction. Until instruments are avail-

able that give the pilot cockpit information about local wind shear, a control tower ob-server could more easily weigh the meteoro-

Pilots prefer to concentrate responsibility

in the cockpit; that makes them better able

logical data from moment to moment.

tive of strategic commodities, grain.

tubing and natural gas, after all, are

American — oil companies.

The damage done by the assertion of extra-

The Cause of the Bui Doi From THE NEW YORK TIMES: The cause of the pitiful bui doi, the dust children of Southeast Asia, has been advanced by a surprising benefactor, the foreign minister of Vietnam. It is an opening

that the U.S. Congress has a duty to seize. The dust children of Vietnam, like the offspring of GIs and other Americans elsewhere, are blond, or black, or blue-eyed, or roundeyed: visibly Western. Many are harassed. Many are left to run the streets. Even those whose mothers struggle to get them into the Upited States cannot come. Vietnam will not let them out. America will not let them in.

Now, however, Foreign Minister Nguyen Co Thach says his country is ready to let out the 8,000 Amerasian children in Vietnam. He no longer insists their fathers first admit to says only that Congress must pass pending

legislation permitting the children's entry.

Perhaps it is a mistake to take all this at face value. Perhaps Thach has other purposes in mind. Vietnam needs no license from the U.S. Congress. It could simply let the children go and force American officials to

Khomeini vs. the Arabs

scramble to admit them as refugees.

But it is more likely that Thach means

If Khomeini's invasion [of Iraq] does not

shake the Arab world into great unity, noth-

ing ever will. The trouble is that most of the

Arab states are feudal despotisms. Their po-

pulations include large elements, predominantly the Shiite Moslems, for whom Islam-

ic fundamentalism as espoused by Khomeini

has great appeal. This particularly applies to Iraq, but also to all the Gulf states, including Sandi Arabia. The dangers to Western oil

supplies, if the revolutionary fire spreads, are

only too obvious. Khomeini's lunge may fail, or cause upheaval inside Iran. It would be foolishly optimistic to count on it.

**Tax-Free Floating Trappings** 

Some wealthy Americans are determined to

see that the first family is outfitted with roy-al-like trappings while they reap a hefty tax

break for their efforts. A group of 50 individ-uals and corporations calling themselves the Admiralty Review Board contributed more

PARIS — Today's editorial in the Herald reads: "Gen. Horace Porter's proposition touching the collection of debts by armed

force is meeting with some opposition at the Hague. The proposal is designed to prevent conflicts between nations arising from debts contracted or sums claimed as due, and it

stipulates that military or naval operations for the recovery of such debts shall be resort-

ed to only after an offer of arbitration has been made by the creditor and refused by the

debtor. Brazil, Mexico, Haiti and Cuba are

said to favor its acceptance. But Argentina, Bolivia, Guatemala, Nicaragua and Panama

maintain that the use of armed force should

be prevented in any circumstance."

1907: Armed Debt Collection?

— The Daily Telegraph (London).

what he says. Refugees are, by definition, fleeing persecution; for the children to be labeled refugees would paint Vietnam as a persecutor in world opinion. Legislation would provide a neutral remedy, extending to Amerasians the priority status to which chil-

dren of Americans are entitled. Some argue that so long as Vietnam says no, the legislation is meaningless piety. If Thach is sincere, that argument collapses. But even if he is not, the case for action remains compelling. To eliminate the obstacle at the American end would put the onus squarely on Vietnam. And there is a more important argument for the bill. There are Amerasian children also in Korea, Thailand, Laos, even Cambodia. Whatever happens in Vietnam, legislation would be required for

The enemy now is time. There are not many legislative days left in the 97th Congress. Before adjourning to campaign, it must still act on tax increases, spending cuts, clean air, bankruptcy — not to mention the big im-migration bill. In other words, time is run-

\$350,000 to \$500,000 has been spent refurb-

ishing and redecorating the yacht.

The White House, to its credit, has said

President and Mrs. Reagan have no plans as

yet to use the yacht. The rub is that the con-

tributors not only will get a tax write-off but can use the palatial yacht for their own excur-

The IRS stipulated the generous terms, which require that the yacht be available to the president and other officials for another

four months of the year, and for national public functions during the remaining third.

It is more than unseemly for groups such as the Admiralty Review Board to lavish tax-

free dollars on unnecessary projects like the Sequoia, when so many health and social ser-vice programs are being cut back.

IRS has no business approving a Presidential

Yacht Trust which allows the wealthy special access to a floating White House.

NEW YORK — Broadway missed a heartbeat when one of the thundering Joves of moviedom announced salary cuts destined to dim the glitter of some of the brightest stars. The names of Barrymore, Shearer and

Davies appear side by side with Buster and Schnozzle in the list, which will affect every player in the employ of Metro-Goldwyn Mayer. Norma Shearer will lose some \$1,500 a week by the order that cuts all MGM employees earning more than \$1,500 weekly 35 percent. John and Lionel Barrameter.

percent. John and Lionel Barrymore will have to take \$1,625 instead of \$2,500 a week.

The Great Garbo alone, who had been receiving the modest sum of \$6,000 a week, will not be affected, as her contract is ended.

1932: MGM Cuts Stars' Pay

To the IRS, we say, enough is enough. The

- The Quincy (Mass.) Patriot Ledger.

sions for four months of the year.

dinary screnity.

"I believe these 11 years have been the happiest of my life," he said.

"Before, I was unable to be an honest person. I was obliged to work for people I didn't respect. I was unable ning out for America to claim its children.
They will always, indelibly, be American.
They will not long remain children. to express my own views. Since then I ve been able to be myself. "Before, I was practically indifferent to my country. I felt that people here didn't regard me as a compatri-Other Editorial Opinion ot, and I wasn't a citizen of Israel. They made me a citizen in 1972 — I have the paper. Now I feel of some use 10 my country. I help on the imthan \$1 million to purchase the 104-foot yacht Sequoia and return it to its former status as the official presidential yacht. Another

migration question. I've learned 1,000 words of Hebrew. "The third reason I am happy is that I did what I was obliged to do

#### By Anthony Lewis

Chatting With a Refusenik in Moscow

for my children. Maybe that's had little Jewish feeling as a young enough? I have many more reasons!" Lerner is an applied mathemati-cian whose specialty is automatic control systems. Before 1971 he was a university professor, headed a department of 130 scientists and five laboratories and was a member of several editorial boards. He was dismissed from all those positions, and his son and daughter were removed from be an embittered figure, bowed by his postgraduate studies.

The police arrested Lerner several times, and put him in a lockup with ans? "They should live in Judea and drunks. They also warned him he would be prosecuted as a parasite. someone without a job; but he was not. He was left in the good apart-ment he had as a leading scientist, and at 60 he began getting his pension. His telephone was cut off in 1973; in 1981, without notice, it

began working again. He has been able to go on with scientific work on his own, publishing two or three papers a year at the New York Academy of Sciences. American universities have invited him to visit, but of course he has been unable to accept. He has taken up painting as a hobby; some of his canvases hang in the Weizmann Institute in Israel.

Like many other refuseniks, Lerner

man; it developed after Israel was es-tablished in 1948. Unlike some, he really wants to live in Israel. His daughter, Sophia Levin, was allowed to leave with her husband in 1973 and is at Ben-Gurion University in Beersheba. Lerner's son Vladimir has been denied an exit visa along with him. He said he supported Israel in the

Lebanese invasion: "I believe it will stop terrorism in the north." What, then, should happen to the Palestini-Samaria, with their own government — but no arms." Others present were not so sure

about Israeli action in Lebanon; they expressed concern about the civilian casualties. "Well, we don't have to think alike about everything," Lerner said. "They only believe that here."
We met at the home of Dr. Valery
N. Soifer, a geneticist, and his wife, Nina, who have been trying to emigrate to Israel since 1979. There were two other refusenik couples, well known singers and chess players.

All told of frustration and jobless-

ness like Lerner's. The younger peo-ple seemed more anguished than Lerner at the prospect of waiting without end; they were not so serene.

But it was not by any means a cheerless evening. There were many jokes.

Mrs. Soifer piled pelmeni, spicy Siberian dumplings, on our plates.

Why have these people been de-

nied visas? There may be many reasons: a sense that it hurts the Soviet Union's self-image if someone of Lerner's eminence leaves, for example; or a feeling that allowing largescale emigration by any one group may give others ideas.

In any event, it is clear that international politics plays a part. In 1979, before Afghanistan and Poland, the American reaction and then the election of Ronald Reagan, Soviet Jewish emigration rose to a high of 51,320. Now it is a trickle.

Much depends on Soviet-American

Lerner expressed confidence that he would eventually get to Israel. He would find it a wonderful country, I

## The Public **Privacy** Of Royals

By George F. Will

WASHINGTON — Captious crit-W ics are finding fault with Buck-ingham Palace security just because strangers are materializing in Queen Elizabeth's bedroom and chatting up the sovereign in the dead of night. It must be a rum thing for Herself 10 have her subjects surging round her so promiscuously. But royal life has often been ardnous.

It is said that the cure for admiring the House of Lotds is to look at it. The cure for envying the life of bygone royalty is to read accounts of it.

True, before democracy got off the leash, when a sovereign was sovereign, the public side of royal life was agreeable. "My people and I have come to an agreement that satisfies us both," said Frederick the Great.
"They are to say what they please and I am to do what I please."

But a king's "private life" some-times lacked privacy. Louis XIV led a life so public and regulated that it was said anyone anywhere could note the hour of any day and know exactly what the king was doing.

Since the primary function of a
French king was to guarantee a suc-

cession, his sex life and its result were

semi-public matters. Queens gave

birth in public lest there be doubt about the child's origins.

In what is smilingly called modern Washington, nothing is more important than "access." Who got his phone calls returned? Who saw the president reduct? At Louis XIV's court access. dent today? At Louis XIV's court, access was carefully calibrated and allocated like rubies. A favored few among the throng entitled to watch the king dress might be allowed to

tidily with his lingers. Privacy, as we know and value it, was an 18th-century invention. Cleanliness came later. In 19th-centuand him his shirt.

Royalty endured discomforts that

ry London, when someone commented to Lady Montague about her un-

plates or wiping noses on the ta-blecloth, Louis XIV, according to

Saint-Simon, ate even chicken stew

clean hands, she replied, "If you call that dirty, you should see my feet!"

But enough about the good old days. Strangers' perambulations through Queen Elizabeth's bedchamber are less alarming than the news from the royal nursery. Explaining why the Princess of Wales left the beseital the day after giving birth, the bleedings, purgings and baths in asses' milk, and broke his jaw extracting the last of his rotten teeth when was 40. The Hall of Mirrors at Versailles was "heated" by just two fireplaces, and wine occasionally froze in the king's glass.

I have hitherto suggested that civilization began to totter when courhospital the day after giving birth, the palace said she did so "because it is very fashionable nowadays." That is tiers stopped bowing to the king's meal as it was carried through the an appalling reason for anyone, but especially a princess, to do anything. Even worse is the report that Prince halls at Versailles. But what hap-pened at the table was not for weak stomachs. Manners of that era can be inferred from the rules an Austrian archduke felt constrained to impose on guests in 1624: No spitting in

William's parents plan to give him "a thoroughly modern upbringing."

No good can come of that, whatever it means. William's parents should be as cautious as the residents of Deal in Kent, where some Americans want to put up a plaque commemorating the tricentenary of William Penn's departure to America in August, 1682. Some residents feel the shore will become cluttered. It already has a monument marking the landing of Julius Caesar in 55 B.C. The Washington Post.

### 'Biased Editorials'

### I have finally resolved never to buy

your newspaper again. Since the bar-baric rape and genocide of the Arab people in Lebanon began with the cruel invasion of that defenseless land by the unholy Begin and his bordes, I have found your biased editorials and articles consistently nauseous and repulsive. SEPTEMUS U. GRANT.

#### Moscow and the Gulf

Regarding "Afghan Rebel Envisions Soviet Threat to Gulf" (IHT, July 5); Hassan Gailani's warning that the Soviet threat to the Gulf is increasing should be taken extremely seriously. With Afghanistan being turned into a forward base to the north, and with the tripartite Pact of Aden (allying Libya, Ethiopia and Southern Yem-

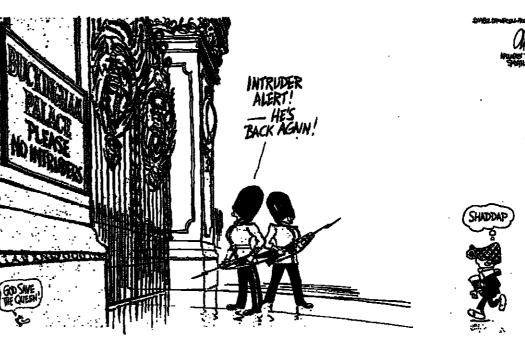
en) in the south, it can be seen that Saudi Arabia is already almost surrounded. Taken with the fact that South and the same have rounded. Taken with the fact that soviet oil may run out in 1985, we have
a menacing simution far greater than
in any other part of the world. Plans
should now be made for NATO to
provide far greater support for the
U.S. Rapid Deployment Force and to
resist any attempt by Mauritius to re
gain control of Diego Garcia.

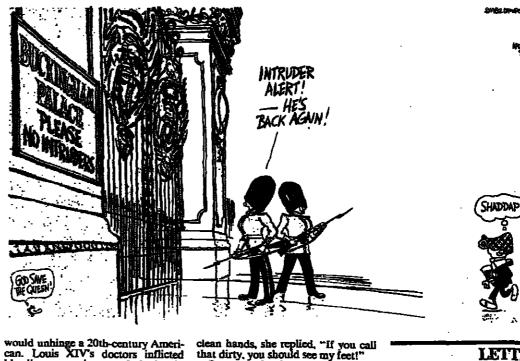
LOUIS FITZGIBBON.

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# Montparnasse Memories: Robert McAlmon



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'McAlmon had done little to sustain the belief held by Miss Beach and shared by many others that he would gradually emerge as one of the important young American exile writers in Paris.'

#### by Waverley Root

ARIS - Montparnasse in the 1920s and 1930s was, as Ernest Hemingway remarked, full of "lady writers of all sexes." Hemingway may be presumed to have made this remark in a moment of irritation, for he numbered a good many homosexuals among his friends, including specifically, Bob McAlmon, with whom he twice made the bullfight round in Spain. Everybody had a gaggle of homosexuals among his friends in those days, a situation which could only be avoided by the determinedly anti-social, there were so many of them.

I suppose there was such a heavy dosage of homosexuality in this ociety because Paris was so tolerant. The homosexuals constituted a special category of the nonconformists who flocked to France because they were unhappy at home, and in France they could be themselves without feeling the weight of general disapproval. Once here, the refu-gees from puritanism did not attempt to disguise their homosexuality, as they might have done in the United States, for in Montparnasse nobody

What they did care about is illustrated in a squabble I had about Robert McAlmon after reviewing a book of his short stories, "The Indefinite Huntress," on the book page of the Paris Chicago Tribune. "The post-Hemingway school of writing believes in stripped sentences [I wrote]. All ornamentation is ruthlessly sheared away to leave only the bare essentials. Hemingway himself seems to eliminate all indication of emotion, but the speech which he catches is so accurate and the details which he records so significant, that the underlying emotion is inevitably re-created in the reader who hears and observes the words and acts of his characters .... McAlmon ... too has shorn off the non-essentials, but it seems to me that in so doing he has cut away all the feeling as well .. McAlmon's stories come very close to being important and don't quite

This estimate of McAlmon's writing provoked dissent from Kay Boyle, who wrote me a letter, which I printed on the book page, in which she exalted "the extraordinary debt of influence so many of [McAlmon's] contemporaries owe to him; at least a half dozen names come to mind. Because I recognize in McAlmon the sound and almost heedless builder of a certain strong wind in American letters, I can see Hemingway only as the gentleman who came in afterward and laid down the linoleum because it was so decorative and so easy to keep clean."

I answered to the effect that I was less concerned with who wrote first

than with who wrote best. It was my opinion that Hemingway wrote best. It seemed to be the opinion of those who reproached Hemingway for having outwritten McAlmon that this was unfair of him.

Miss Boyle's protest seemed to be somewhat disingenuous, not only because she failed to let her readers in on the secret that she herself had been instrumental in the selection of the stories published in "The Indefinite Huntress" and was therefore casting herself in the roles of both partisan and judge, but also because my review was published in December, 1932, when she already knew that McAlmon's mental disequilibrium was teetering toward paranoia, which I did not.

"Those who knew Robert McAlmon in Paris in the early '20s began to worry about him in the early '30s." Hugh Ford wrote in "Published in Paris." "His companion Ezra Pound expressed concern in a letter to a mutual friend: 'And what iz gone wrong with McAlmon? The kid just playin' the fool, or watever? Too bad some of his best have been printed, though hardly more than privately printed. I hope he ain't gone plumb to hell.' And Sylvia Beach, a longtime friend who had once 'quite completely fallen prey' to McAlmon's charms, was saddened by what she described as the slow deterioration of her friend into a 'malicious gossip who by the end of the '30s became 'completely soured.' Sorrowfully she concluded that McAlmon's opinions, though amusing and even brilliant,

were often 'influenced by his envy of other people's talents.'

"Even more depressing." Ford continued, "since it now seemed undeniable, was the realization that after a tryout of a few years in Paris McAlmon had done little to sustain the belief held by Miss Beach and shared by many others that he would gradually emerge as one of the important young American exile writers in Paris. No one knew this better than McAlmon himself, she wrote, and it made him hard and embittered.' A sad fate for one whom the irrepressible Ernest Walsh had called in 1927 'the most honest and authentically American of our writers, and the only man writing who can seriously compete with Joseph Conrad and James Joyce'."

McAlmon seems to have communicated his envy to Miss Boyle, who seemed particularly nettled by the greater success of Hemingway, like McAlmon himself. She repeated the comparison between the two on other occasions, for instance when she wrote:

"It was McAlmon who, in liberating himself from genteel language and genteel thought, spoke for his generation in a voice that echoes, unacknowledged, in the prose of Hemingway and that of other writers of

Miss Boyle, whom I never met to my knowledge, must have been a woman of ardent temperament, judging by the enthusiasm with which she championed her friends, frequently beyond the limits of discernment. For instance when she described McAlmon as "a great white god," she had clearly gone off the deep end.

Miss Boyle's most conspicuous infatuation was with Raymond Dun-

can, Isadora's brother, of whose fake Hellenism she became a victim joining his community, whose artistic labors served chiefly to support its guru. Once cured, she wrote a brilliant and devastating novel which, while it bared her own temporary gullibility, should have sunk him without trace, but it didn't. He was, I think, the only one of her false idols she

Despite Miss Boyle's blast, Raymond Duncan continued to recruit for his colony admiring young women, who it may be assumed had not read her book. Unabashed and unabashable, he told an interviewer on his return to Paris from a trip to New York in 1933: "I have founded a new city. It is called New Paris York and will unite the inhabitants of New York and Paris.

"To the undisguised amazement of the captain, officers and passengers of the liner, I laid the foundation stone of the city's city hall, by dropping it overboard in mid-Atlantic, halfway between the United States and France.

"Already many prominent New Yorkers and Parisians have flocked to this new city, which is taxless, lawless and without obligations. Each and every one of these new citizens will drop a brick or stone into the sea inmid-Atlantic when he crosses to or from America. Thus, in time, will the new city hall rear its glorious head above the waves."

The city hall has not yet appeared above the waves, and it is to be feared now that it never will, given the technical difficulty of heaving building stones from transatlantic planes. Duncan himself kept his head above water. Up to World War II, I

used to see him from time to time, in toga and sandals, an incongruous figure in the Paris subway. That Kay Boyle could ever have been taken in by him, even briefly, does not, I fear, argue well for the accuracy of her appraisals, even of Robert McAlmon.

This is the first of three articles.



Raymond Duncan.



Kay Boyle.

## Nazi Art Booty for Sale, No Questions Asked

by Joseph Fitchett

OME - Art sleuths who for nearly 40 years have been tracking down thousands of European masterpieces
Liooted by the Nazis now fear that many owners; sensing that the trail has gone cold with the passage of decades, are getting ready to market their booty.
"Witnesses are dying out, so the art has less

chance of being recognized," says Simon Wiesenthal, the Nazi-hunter, in Vienna. In addition, a postwar generation of specialist art detectives — with encyclopedic, first-hand knowledge of the art that disappeared during World War II — is vanishing because of death or retirement. Their enemies, the owners of stolen works, remain active, boldly attempting to suppress a forthcoming catalog of these missing treasures.

And then there is the complication of inter-

national politics. Most of the specialists share the pessimism of Italy's Rudolpho Siviero. who since the war has headed the Art Recovery Department in the Foreign Ministry, where he has the rank of ambassador.

Siviero, refiring prematurely at age 62, complains about growing official apathy. "Italian politicians don't want trouble with other governments, with the two Germanys, with the United States," he says. Discussing art missing since World War II,

Siviero says most of it still in the West is be-lieved to be in the United States or West Germany. He adds that he has identified stolen Italian art in major U.S. museums, but he has little hope of recovering it without active international pressure by Italy.

Even more missing art is probably in the Soviet Union and East Europe, whose troops seized art stolen by the Nazis and moved it

eastward. But these governments refuse to answer queries. The Soviet bloc remains a big black hole as far as the wartime stoken art is concerned, Wiesenthal says.

In the U.S. State Department, Ely Manrer, a deputy legal advises who has worked on the problem since 1948, concedes that "Many museums don't want to look too closely at a prize acquisition, which they've had for decades and which is the centerpiece of a collection and would be too expensive to replace."

Agreeing that "many people with art from World War II may think it's safe to come out now," he insists that U.S. courts are strict and U.S. laws stringent — the statute of limitation starts only after a work has been identified and a claim made for it by its rightful owner.

Sensational recoveries do continue: A pair of portraits by Albrecht Dürer in a private collection in New York, valued at \$10 million, have just been ordered sent back to East Germany by a U.S. court. The case shows what can happen when courts make a positive identification, in an effort to help curators, collectors and dealers, the art detectives are leaving behind catalogs of the lost legacy. (As a testimonial to their work, Florence plans a special show late this year of 300 recovered masterpieces together with accounts of the detective work that went into each case.)

The Direr portraits, for example, hung for 35 years in the living room of a New York attorney, Edward Elicofon, who bought them for \$450 in 1946 from an ex-G.I. During the war, the paintings were looted by Nazi troops from a collection in what today is East Germany and stored in a German castle. When the castle and its art fell to U.S. troops in 1945, the paintings disappeared, only to turn up later in

Once identified, the paintings were bound to go back to East Germany because U.S. law stipulates that a thief cannot give good title to stolen property he sells. Even though Elicofon bought the paintings in good faith, he lost his

St. Paul by Luca di Tomme.

plied with inflation.

legal fees and the paintings, whose value multi-

Most of the other thousands of missing

works are equally valuable. A marble mask of

a satyr, looted from a Florence museum, is be-

neved to be Michelangelo's earliest surviving

work. Such a work, even now, could never be displayed publicly without being recognized. Many of the works, however, are known only

to connoisseurs. Powerful interests apparently

want to close the file, judging by the case of

Siviero's missing manuscript.

His last few years in office were spent compiling a book describing the 1,500 main missing Italian artworks. At the Italian publisher

"The real loss was the photographs," Siviero explains in his Rome office, a long vaulted

room decorated with recovered Italian art waiting to go back to its owners. Fragments of

marble statuary weigh down dossiers on the huge antique desk behind which the white-

haired Sivieto sits. Painstakingly, he has managed to reconstitute most of his documenta-

tion, and the volume - after further inexplica-

ble delays — is now expected out by next year.

script, Siviero describes each missing work without having to refer to the text. "This 14th-

century portrait of St. Peter by Luca di

Tomme comes from the Perkins collection in

Siena," Siviero explains. "Since Perkins was

British, his property was not spared by the

Germans, especially after they stopped extend-

ing any special treatment to Italy as an er-

soldiers who were escorting a load of Perkins

ing, but the Nazis took masterpieces from eve-

ry country they occupied, not only from Jew-

ish collectors but also from national museums.

Hitler, himself a frustrated painter and archi-

tect, who set in motion "Secret Operation

Linz" to scour Europe for Nazi-approved his-

torical masterpieces. His plan was to

transform Linz, an Austrian provincial town

on the Danube where Hitler spent most of his

edolescence, into the art capital of the Reich.

Heavily centered on 18th- and 19th-century

The Nazi obsessesion with art started with

property north: this canvas disappeared."

"We lost the trail among a squad of German

Italy was particularly hard but by the loot-

stwhile all V.

Turning the photocopied pages of his manu-

last spring, his bulky manuscript vanish

EDICINE BOW, Wyo. - Yet an-

editor and publisher, David L. Roberts, and a part-time staff have been presenting the latest in Medicine Bow, a town of 953 people, untold dogs, dirt streets and trailers huddled on the treeless plains of southeastern Wyoming. The paper appears each week on the shelves of Dr's Stop-N-Go, King's Grocery Store and S&G Conoco, offering a sprightly portrait of small-town life for 20 cents a copy.

Five years in Medicine Bow, however, took a toll. At age 28, David Roberts was burned

Roberts has had five years of suffering through news droughts, obliged to raise issue at Town Council meetings so he could have something to write. Five years of taking pictures of Blackie Chace beside the first locally grown watermelon and Ted Cronberg playing the saw at the Methodist Church. And worse: untold hours spent trying to edit Muttonhead's Corner, a column written in the voice of a dog.

So Roberts proposed an exchange. He would take my job for two weeks and I would take his. That's why I now know that Medicine Bow is famous mainly for the wind that funnels in from the basin of the Red Desert at an average daily speed of 15 mph. Only the wind in Guadalupe Pass, Texas, blows harder. Medicine Bow wind shows up in the police blotter as the town's top vandal, specializing in broken windows. A piece of locally popular dog-gerel posted in the town hall claims the wind can skin an unripened plum.

at a tilt. Last summer, gales spun the top off the anemometer and frolicked with the portaworld's most powerful wind turbine is under construction.

Medicine Bow does not look much different

German realists, the collection was also supline: "When you call me that, smile."

# **Updating City Mouse and Country Cousin**

plodocus Bar, and pools of standing water that

through town, drowning out conversation.

1962. Medicine Bow has no doctor, lawyer,

movie house, clothing store or traffic light.

Listing deprivations is one of a visitor's bleak

pleasures. About the only form of entertain-

ment in town, other than riding a horse into a bar, is Home Box Office television. "We can

never get more than three people to come to

Chamber of Commerce meetings," says Bill Kvenild, president of the Medicine Bow State

Bank. "They're all at home watching 'R' mov-

Yet viewed from the perspective of, say, a

sheep herder who ventures to town from his

lonely post, the "forsaken hole" seems a com-

panionable place, shaded by cottonwoods with

The Bow Post has survived my brief reign. Clorox was misspelled (in my column) and duly corrected. A few Cradle Calls hailing

newborns may have been misplaced, but the Jehovah's Witnesses were well served, for I

spent the better part of an hour crawling on

nouncing their next meeting. And I did not touch a word of Muttonhead's Corner after it

was explained to me that it was not a cat nar-

Roberts returned from Washington with a

raft of Smithsonian catalogues, two souvenir rulers and new ideas, which he planned to har-

ness immediately in coming issues of the Medi-

cine Bow Post. "I think I can last for another

the floor in search of the "news note"

bars, a library and a newspaper.

rating, but Muttonhead the dog.

cinderblock town hall, six churches, three

In the Heartland, the Beat Is Slow

by Chip Brown

Post has hit the streets. Here in the nation's second windiest town there's been no shortage of news lately: More radium has been found in the water supply. The airport fence is in bad shape because Fisher's cows have been rubbing themselves against it. The bills for soap to wash the town's only garbage truck came to \$139. Two of Lena Clark's 18 cats have been hospitalized. The mayor has abolished the Animal Control Committee because of bickering with the dog catcher. (The committee was formed after a reporter from the National Enquirer showed up to watch police open fire on unleashed pets.)

For more than five years, the Bow Post's

In five years he had taken one four-day vacation, in Cody, Wyo. He had endured Medicine Bow winters when the snow blows so blindingly sometimes that cowboys in the saddle can't see their horses' ears. Last summer an antelope poacher who lived above the paper's office fled town, leaving a side of spoiling meat stashed in the walls upstairs. For weeks the publisher thought a cat had died somewhere in

People like to say that babies are born here ble toilets at the weather station where the

now than it did in the late 19th century when writer Owen Wister stopped in and pro-nounced it a "forsaken hole" and a "wretched husk of squalor" in his literary landmark, "The Virginian." Despite his unflattering assessment, Medicine Bow has embraced Wister as a patron saint. The oldest building in town is the three-story Virginian Hotel, named after the novel. The shoulder patches on the four-man police department depict the shootout between the hero and the villain of the western, and are embroidered with the book's most famous

Continued on page 7W The main street through town is Highway

### Back East, in Washington, They Pave the Streets

30, which, leaving town, passes a video arcade and motel, the Dipin Donut Shoppe, the Di-

TASHINGTON — The people in form after rainstorms. Trail's End, the town's cemetery, lies on the far side of the Union Pa-They watched solemnly as though cific railroad tracks, which parallel the highthey feared the presence of way. Every 15 minutes or so freight trains run strangers. I pulled the luggage closer to my feet while the train whistled down the dark tunnel.

I had just arrived from Medicine Bow, Once Medicine Bow supplied water and coal Wyo., on my first trip east - I had never been for the railroad and served as a shipping point east of Bassett, Neb., and I had never ridden in for sheep and cattle ranchers. Grazing land ranges for miles over high plains of grass, greasewood and sage, south to the ramparts of

by David L. Roberts

a subway. Medicine Bow is a very small town in a big state that is populated less than this city and that has no subways. I was intrigued the Snowy Range and north to the arid Shirley that people travel beneath their homes, offices, streets, and even the Potomac River. The old train depot is boarded up now. The last big cattle shipment by rail, depicted in a Eastern Market: That was the exit point. Afphotograph on the hotel menu, took place in

ter the doors sprang open with a synchronized, metal thud, I entered a platform area in a honeycomb-like cavern that was fed by escala-The escalators provided some clues about

people. Tourists seemed to be the ones who rode; residents, on the other hand, walked on the moving stairways as though they believed the machines were too slow. I rode, although wondered if there was a good reason to also walk. The escalator carried me into the sunlight of a world that was amazingly foreign. With nervous excitement, I wrestled with

the luggage, trying to maintain a fast, steady pace. The two-story, narrow apartment house, attached to a row of similar houses, was near by. Was this a safe neighborhood where I was staying? Was it safe to walk down the street, even in the daylight hours?

That night, when I telephoned back to my hometown, the telephone operator asked if Medicine Bow really existed. Two weeks later, I, too, would begin to wonder. The big Eastern city and the small Western town exist with vast differences.

Washington, D.C., has paved streets; Medicine Bow has dirt streets. The D.C. telephone directory has too many pages to count; the Medicine Bow telephone book has 6 pages. Medicine Bow has about 953 people, 117 dogs and 76 cats; Washington, D.C., has infinitely

My Western concept of the geographical nature of the East was wrong in many ways. I thought Washington was on the Atlantic coast. Wrong. I thought there would be cool breezes from the ocean. Wrong again. The high humid-

ity is uncomfortable. The Potomac is a huge river: In Wyoming, its size would indicate that

it was a lake. If the fear of being mugged in the city is exaggerated by the small-town Westerner. nonetheless, it exists. Small towns are safer, mostly because they are smaller. There are fewer car accidents, fewer robberies, fewer people.

One result is that most people who live in cities know how to be cautious about their environment. Several D.C. residents used the term "street-smart" and said they didn't take chances, such as walking alone at night. How-ever. they also said they didn't feel "oppressed" by the threat of crime. They adjusted their lifestyle to include precautions.

Besides crime, other possible dangers in this city are revolving doors, traffic and dehydration from constantly perspiring.

A special tour of the city, Maryland suburbs and Virginia suburbs provided an examination of neighborhoods, development and people. There is a spectrum of economic conditions. The wealthy neighborhoods, such as McLean, Va., where million-dollar mansions are camouflaged by lush greenery, greatly contrast with the public housing sections, which are not confined to the District of Columbia.

The poverty in the nation's showcase city to world was my greatest criticism about Washington. It was a sobering sight. I can't imagine a politician going to work in this capital city and not feeling an obligation to help the people who are in serious economic need Back home, people help one another through hard times, because there is no pride in having a community with ill or needy or troubled residents. No one is isolated from problems in a small town and therefore everyone seems to assist in seeking solutions.

A fellow tourist, Pam Madison, from Hart-

ford, Conn., said that at first she was shocked to see the poor conditions of public housing.
"But the more I traveled through those parts of the city, the more I got used to it," she said, possibly reflecting the view of most city dwellers, who feel they have little control over employment, housing and the economy.

While my main form of transportation was the subway system, a grand invention that's easily conquered by the newcomer, I took enough taxi rides to learn that the cabbies can leave the width of a jackalope's whisker be-tween their taxis and the next car as they zigzag through traffic.

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Food, gasoline, clothing and other costs are similar to prices in Wyoming. Housing costs are extremely high here. It seems incredible that a house or apartment could rent for over \$600 a month, but apparently that's the case for a lot of them.

My two-week study changed many wrong impressions that I had about this and other cities. I met people from many ethnic groups: black, white, Vietnamese, Arab and others. I found the people to be friendly and helpful My conception that city people had little time to be cordial proved to be wrong.

I discovered and enjoyed the many Smithsonian museums, art galleries and monuments; the delicacy of Maryland crabs; that the girls are beautiful; that most men who wear ties don't keep them tied; and that most people fit into one of three categories: tourists, politi-cians or joggers. And I learned that Washington has trees and fireflies, and because it has no skyscrapers, you can sometimes see the stars at night.

With all of my experiences, I still have many unanswered questions that perhaps I will settle one day with another visit: Was Washington built in a swamp? Who are the people who live next door? What goes on a bage!? Why do peo-

ple walk or run up the escalators?

0/982 The Washington Past



and more.

verted into a lockup.

by R.W. Apple Jr.

Shakespeare's home, Stratford-upon-Avon, or the industrial town in Yorkshire also called

Bradford. This Bradford lies at the western ex-

tremity of Wiltshire, just southeast of Bath, on a river that has nothing in common (except its name) with that familiar to Anne Hathaway.

But you will find Bradford-on-Avon in all

the books about European architectural histo-

ry, alongside such more-famous places as Au-tun and Monreale and Durham. The reason is

simple: This provincial town of 8,000 souls is

one of the treasure troves of English building,

one of the rare places where the amateur can

see the kinds of structures that Englishmen

have chosen to erect over the last 900 years

It is also a place that fits in well with a jour-

ney to more conventional destinations. You can visit it after stopping at Stonehenge and Salisbury, en route to Tintern Abbey in Wales,

or while spending a weekend amid the riches of Bath, Glastonbury and Wells.

You enter the town, no matter where you

are coming from, by descending toward the river and toward the 17th-century town bridge, which incorporates two 13th-century arches. It

is one of the few bridges left in Europe with a chapel built into it; the chapel was later con-

Leave your car in the parking lot nearby,

This is a relic of that dark and little-under-

stood episode in English history between the departure of the Romans and the arrival of the

Normans — a genuine Saxon artifact, of a quality duplicated in only two or three other

places. Astonishingly, it was lost for hundreds of years, obscured by later buildings huddled

around it, its original purpose unknown be-

cause of its conversion to ordinary domestic

It was "found" in 1856 by a local vicar of

archaeological bent. Today it stands revealed,

a reminder, with its dark and tiny Romanesque nave, only 25 feet long, of the defensive posture of Christianity in the Middle

Ages, of the church as sanctuary in the most

It is not a subtle building nor a very delicate

one. But its external "shadow" arcades, its

round arches and its reliefs of angels are re-

minders of the power of relatively primitive art, here making its appeal across the nearly 13

cross the footbridge, and you will soon find yourself outside the Church of St. Laurence.

RADFORD, England - Bradford-

on-Avon is one among thousands of English towns. It is known to few peo-

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centuries that have passed since this stern little building was begun by St. Aldhelm, around A.D. 700

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Not far away, along the road to Frome (pro-nounced "Froom") stands Barton Farm, with its tithe barn, perhaps the best in Britain. This is a kind of agricultural cathedral, 168 feet long, of stone with bays crossed by arches made of naturally curved pieces of oak, dating from the early 14th century. Here were stored the tithes, or offerings, contributed by local people to the great numbery at Shaftesbury.

Kingston House, also known as "The Hall." is a gem of the Renaissance, built about 1600. William Dean Howells, the American novelist, described it as being "full of Italian feeling in an English environment," and others have called it the small-scale counterpart of London gleat, the Marquess of Bath's great country house not far away.

Unhappily, Kingston House is not generally open to the public, but people in the area report that its pretty garden can usually be visited in season; they advise making inquiries locally — at the house itself or at the tourist office, or even at one of the town pubs.

But Bradford is at bottom a Georgian town, inevitably influenced by the great Palladian buildings of Bath. The town is smack in the middle of the limestone belt that runs through England from the channel to the Humber in Yorkshire, and the stone has shaped the look

It is pleasant to stroll through the town, picking out Georgian buildings on every block; there are so many here that they seem a part of the fabric of the place, serving as houses or offices or whatever, without any self-conscious efforts at preservation. One of the most outstanding examples is the Palladian wing added in 1734 to the old gabled house of the Yerburys, a rich family of clothiers. The architect was John Wood the elder, designer of Bath's Royal Crescent.

The place is called Belcombe Court, and it is a favorite of the English architectural historian Alec Clifton-Taylor. On a BBC broadcast not long ago, he called it "a very proud building, wearing a great air of authority, with a big pediment rising above a strong entablature supported by smooth Ionic pilasters." Wood himself thought the pilasters the best he had

To see this building and others like it is to be reminded of an enormously self-confident Britain, one where the most eccentric of men little dreamed that the loss of the American colonies lay less than half a century in the fu-

There is much more to be seen - an aqueduct dating from 1804, a wealth of Victorian industrial architecture and always the abundance of Georgian buildings in pale yellow



limestone. It is a place for wandering, and your rambles will be helped by the leaflet put out by the local Preservation Trust. You can buy a copy at the public library, at the side of the parking lot not far from the town bridge.

The area around Bradford (though not the town itself) is well endowed with hotels and inns. A few miles away on the A36 highway, in the village of Hinton Charterhouse, stands the Homewood Park Hotel, a refurbished 18th-century mansion with an excellent dining room; a double room costs the equivalent of about \$70, dinner for two about \$50.

Farther west, in Chelwood, less than half an hour's drive along pretty lanes, is Hunstrete House, an exceptionally comfortable Georgian hotel set in 90 acres of garden and woodland; dauble rooms are about \$75. Its food is quite acceptable by English country standards, though no gastronomic thrill; about \$65 for dinner for two. In Bath, the obvious choice is the Roya Crescent Hotel, at the center of John Wood's great Palladian masterwork; double rooms are \$100. The best food in town is probably at the friendly and reliable Hole in the Wall; dinner for two, about \$60.

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# Restaurants: Big in Bangkok

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ANGKOK - The story is a familiar one and, for once, there's a happy ending. In 1940 D'jit Charnvises went into the food business with a little market stall, selling a 25-cent lunch: a pot of rice and Thai curry. He had ambitions and so did his son, Chalermpol. They expanded every decade or so, moving around town, adding to the menu, until today the Charnvises family runs two huge eating parlors in Bangkok and successful restaurants in Singapore and Los Angeles.

All of the restaurants are called D'jit Pochana, which in the ancient Pali language of Buddhist religious texts means D'jit's Place.

In Bangkok, food is taken casually but seriously. Everyone seems to eat from morning to night, often popping into a favorite market or food stall on the street. People don't remember the names of stands too small to be called restaurants, they just know how to get there, and what to order when they do.

The menu is often delivered orally, and if

there is a printed menu, diners still end up charting with waiters to find what's good to-day. Which is why the two Charnvises restaurants - one near the airport, the other in town - are almost out of place in Bangkok. At first glance, the mammoth restaurant complex on Paholyotin Road looks more like a tourist stop. Here, a staff of 270 feeds nearly 3,000 people a day, serving them on a tree-shaded patio that doubles as a small bird park, as well as in three large air-conditioned dining rooms. But two meals at each Bangkok location and

a fifth in the Los Angeles branch suggest that, on home ground, at least, the Charnvises know what they're doing and do it well. (The Los Angles branch was far less satisfying, with generally bland or carelessly prepared dishes.) The food in Bangkok is fiery and generally fresh, with a well-illustrated Thai-English menu featuring more than 200 appetizers, soups, main dishes, salads and desserts.

The surroundings at each location are clean and pleasant. On Paholyotin Road, the airy, shaded garden, open at night for barbecues and for Sunday lunch, is refreshing; indoors, I prefer the crisp and contemporary red and white dining room. In town, the decor is more casual, with a large, indoor-outdoor dining room, surrounded by plants and trees and a large waterfall in a corner. The food is equally good at each location, and one can dine extremely well for 120 to 240 baht a person, or

Thai cuisine, like Chinese, Vietnamese and Indonesian, is remarkably varied, depending

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on simple, fresh ingredients combined in an unlimited variety of ways. Dishes are at the same time complex and uncomplicated, and in a single meal one encounters a barrage of flavors, textures, aromas and colors, from sweet to sour, bitter to salty, soft to firm, foods that are raw or stewed, fried or simply steamed. Though one could hardly call the impact on the palate subtle, the overall effect is remarkahiv elusive.

Pungent peppers appear and reappear, ranging in color from red to green to yellow, and the smaller they are, the more fiery. Coconut serves to temper and cool, while its oil provides essential fat. Soy sauce, fish sauce (nam pla) and dried prawn paste (kapi), fresh sliced red onions, scallions, ginger and garlic are used liberally, and in various combinations, allowing each dish to take on its own personality, all the while following a consistent culinary

Herbs such as mint, coriander and lemon grass are used so well and so often, you feel as though you're in a forest gathering herbs and seeds, mixing them together, then dipping them into a quickly made sance.

The best dishes at D'jit Pochana are appetiz-

ers. And since there are 33 to choose from, one can easily make a meal of them. Two favorites include Pra Goong, shrimp cooked in lemon grass, hot pepper and lemon juice, and Nam Gon, slices of Chieng Mai pork sausage, served with a salad of ginger and greens. The shrimp are "cooked" in the lemon juice, to which is added a blend of fresh herbs, including the popular Thai lemon grass and fresh mint, along with thin strips of sweet red onion, bits of scallions and a dose of hot pepper strips and seeds. The shrimp dish is fiery enough to numb the palate for a good five minutes, so if you want to make it through the meal without

a scorched tongue, you'll have to go slowly.

The sausage (which unfortunately is not available at the Los Angeles branch) is more like an American head cheese, prepared in traditional sausage lengths. The sausages are cut thinly, on the diagonal, and served on a small platter surrounded with peanuts, a generous sprinkling of fresh ginger strips, scallions and a green salad. The physical effect of the dish is marvelous: the mild sausage provides texture and flavor, the ginger stimulates the palate, the peanuts and greens calm it. This is just the kind of food one craves in hot weather. Heat makes the body sluggish, and the spicy food is not only stimulating but cleansing as

Other worthy appetizers include Yam Ma Keau Keow, big chunks of smoky charred eggplant laced with garlic, hot peppers, red onions and dried shrimp, and another palate-

scorcher, Yam Kai Jaramed, an unusual salad of soft-cooked turtle eggs flavored with lemon juice, soy sauce, chopped shallots and peppers. The restaurant's most popular dish is called Guy Hor Buy Toey, a classic Thai main course

consisting of chunks of marinated chicken consisting of churks of marmated chicken wrapped with toey leaf, a thick leaf-resembling that of a banana plant. The leaf-wrapped chicken is steamed and served hot, with liberal

additions of chili and lemon grass.

Like the Chinese, the Thais are wild about soups, and at D'jit Pochana there's a good variety. Try the Gaeng Loeng, a soothing some of cucumbers, shrimp and greens, laced lightly with hot pepper.

Thai curries are an unusual treat, particular ly if one is used to the many dreadful curry variations palmed off as "Indian." The Thai version is made with fresh, local ingredients, not a blend of dry spices, and generally includes fresh basil leaf, green peppers, tiny round green wild eggplant, and galangal, a root with a mild ginger flavor. But the essence of any Thai curry is coconut and peppers, and you can tell the hotness of a curry by its color. Red curries are the mildest, the green curries are moderately hot and yellow curries are pure fire. The green cattish curry here is pleasant and only mildly spiced. It's a soothing blend of fish, tiny green eggplant, fresh mint, grated cabbage, and of course peppers and sweet cocount milk.

Of 20 or so dishes sampled at D'jit Pochana there are only a few I'd advise against. An order of mixed charcoal broiled seafood, the most expensive item on the menu at 300 baht, was a disaster. The blend of fish and shellfish tasted as though it had been cooked hours be-fore, then placed on the grill to reheat. As a result, the shrimp and catfish were soggy, bland and tasteless.

Thai desserts are designed to be sweet and soothing, and this they are. Still, I'm not much of a fan of the thin ices, blends of water chestnut and coconut milk over crushed ice and the various jelly-like concoctions so popular all over Southeast Asia.

D'jit Pochana offers a variety of good noodle dishes, in deference to the Chinese influence on the cuisine. But a large bowl of plain white rice and a few bottles of icy, local Singha Lager beer are all one needs to round out a perfect Thai meal here.

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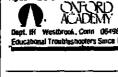
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Galerie d'Art Contemporain (tel: 62.37.11) — To Sept. 5: "Oervres récentes," including Arman, César, Deschamps, Triguely.

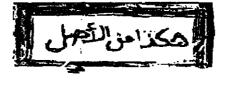
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Haddo House, near Aberden (bil 667.01.21) — July 17 and 18: Scotish Chamber Orchestra (Elgar, Mozart). SINGAPORE

GENEVA. Cathèdrale St. Pierre (tel: 22,77.82) — July 17: Leonid Kogan vi-

NEW YORK, Cooper-Hewitt (rel: 860.68.98). Exhibition — To Ang. 22: "Columns as Architectural Elements and Omsmental Forms."



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ATHENS. Epidaurus Festival (tel: 322.14.59). National Theatre — Inly 17 and 18: "The Thesmophonizanese" (Aristophanes). July 24 and 25: "The Plutus" (Aristophanes).

Herod Atticus Odeon (tel: 322.14.59) — July 17 and 18: Royal Winnipeg Ballet of Canada. July 19: Athens Saus Orchestra. July 20 and 21: Toulouse Capital Orchestra.

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July 17: "Babylogna" (Vyzantins), Thessaly Theatre. July 21-23: Austra-lian Dance Theatre.

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Hotel Regal Meridien (tel: 722.18.18). Exhibition — "A Harmonious Mix of Two Cultures," antiques from the

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ITALY GENOA, International Ballet Festival (tel: 54.27.92). Teatro Comunale dell'Opera, Ballet — July 17: "Don Quixole" (Minkus), Panis Opera Ballet. July 20: Festival d'Indonesia. July 22-24: Alvin Alley American Dance The-

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•Taikukan Gymnasium (tel: 408.61.91) — To July 25: Bolshoi Circus.

MONTE-CARLO, Cour d'Honneur du Palais Princier (tel: 553.82.10) - July 21: Monte-Carlo Philharmonic Orchestra, James Conlon, conductor, Yuri-Egorov piano (Berlioz, Rachmaninofi, Dvorak).

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AMSTERDAM, Rijksmuseum, Exhibi tion - To Aug. 8: "American Prints," includes Whistler, Bellows and Hopper. UTRECHT, Catharijne Convent. Exhibition — To Aug. 15: "Piety Per Doz-en," history of mass produced religious

EDINBURCH, National Gallery (tel.; 556.89.21). Exhibition — To Sept. 19: "John Michael Wright: The King's

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Cour de l'Hôtel de Ville (tel: 28.72.33)

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UNITED STATES

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# Father Figure to Japanese Robots

by Terry Trucco

OKYO — In a cluttered Tokyo studio, Shuniehi Mizuno stands proudly beside a life-size doll that looks remarkably like Marilyn Monroe. She has pale blonde hair and sleepy blue eyes and she wears the low-cut gown of a frontier barmaid, much like the one worn by the actress in the film "River of No Return."

Like a doting father, Mizuno fondly strokes her curls, straightens her rhinestone necklace and gives her a good-natured pat on the knee. Then, with a flick of a switch, music begins, and Marilyn Monroe magically

She smiles, bows and, gently strumming a guitar, begins to sing. As she breathes, her creamy shoulders rise and fall, and when she gets to the sad part of her song, she closes her eyes. When it's over, she winks.

There are more than 14,000 programable robots in Japan, but Mizuno's Marilyn Monroe is doubtlessly the most ravishing. Mizuno, a 44year-old display artist, inventor and technology buff, has built nine other people-shaped robots, or cybots, as he calls them, a term that blends robot and cybernetics, the science of communication. Each is as animat-

ed and lifelike as Monroe.

His Thomas Edison was the first, finished seven years ago. Since then he has fashioned life-size automated effigies of John F. Kennedy, Kabuki star Tomasaburo Bando, an anonymous young Japanese woman and a family of fantasy creatures that includes fairies, mermaids and a fierce-looking samurai Darth Vader.

Here in Japan where people are enchanted by all types of robots, from the dullest industrial welder to Hollywood's amiable R2 D2, Mizzino's little family has grown immensely popular. Since the mid-1970s they have regularly appeared throughout Japan at science fairs and on television. Crowds filled the entrance to Tokyo's Matsuya Ginza department store earlier this year when Mizuno's creations entertained.

And the popular Monroe has been booked by a Kobe department store for the summer. "My 5-year-old daughter knows Marilyn Monroe

store for the summer. "My 5-year-old daughter knows Marilyn Monroe as a robot, not an actress," Mizuno says. "There's probably an entire generation of Japanese children who are the same way."

Mizuno refuses to sell his creations, but will rent them for 250,000 yen (about \$1,000) a month. His family has never appeared together at the same time, but one day he would like to stage a play using a cast of robots, a feat not yet technologically possible. It is small wonder that Mizuno has been unofficially designated the robot world's P.T. Barnum. He did not set out to become either an impressario or a robot maker Displaying the characteristic Japanese interest in science, in his early 20s he worked for an electronics company developing transistors. "But I didn't fit in," says this slender, bespectacled man.

It was the early 1960s, and Japan's electronics and manufacturing industries were beginning to boom. Together they spawned another new field — display art. Eye-catching billboards and larger-than-life models of engine workings, television interiors and such were needed, and Mizu-no found a new profession.

He made everything from giant automobile motors to life-size dino-saurs, but he soon concluded that his displays would be most effective if they moved. Deeming existing wireless robots "too slow and primitive," he decided to build his own. Eight years later, he completed Thomas

That huge time lapse was not due to technological problems but, odd-ly enough, to difficulties in fashioning the robot's skin. "At that time, none of Japan's industrial companies needed to manufacture anything that looked like human skin," he says. "So I had to make my own."

He studied chemistry and eventually came up with a soft, lifelike vinyl he has since patented. It is so natural that Mizmo can apply real make-up on it. When his robot of Tomasaburo, the Kabuki star, was completed last year, he recruited the 32-year-old actor to paint the face. "I occasionally get a call from a disabled person asking if I make false limbs or if this can be used for skin transplants," he says. So far, it's only

Although the basic technology existed from the earliest days of his venture, Mizuno has regularly updated his creations whenever something new comes along. Monroe, his most sophisticated model, is operated by a computer programmed to coordinate her movements with the words of her song, "River of No Return." Indeed, under her flawless complexion she is wired with between 80 and 85 cylinders, all activated by air. This makes the robot sound a bit breathy, since a little whoosh can be heard with each movement. Somehow, for a Marilyn Monroe robot, it is a nice



"Marilyn Monroe" and Shuniehi Mizuno.

When it comes to programming human expressions, the computer is still a little awkward, Mizuno says. Monroe contains some 80 actuators "because that's how many muscles human beings use for the facial and body expressions she has," Mizuno says. "If the computer develops more senses, I can equip Marilyn with more actuators." For now, a cybot can be programmed to smile, but it looks grotesque if it tries to express anger

or pain.

Anyone wondering what makes Monroe tick need only examine a skinless, skeletal twin Mizuno often displays as a teaching instrument. Monroe contains a network of wires, most camouflaged by thin plastic shells on her skull, torso and limbs.

The head, which Mizuno can make in a month - a third of the time i now takes to build a cybot — is sculpted after a human face is photographed from dozens of angles. Miznino employs 30 assistants, but he says he still does all the body sculpture himself. "I've always liked art,"

It was Japan's current robot craze that brought fame to Mizuno's cybots. But he also believes several quirks in Japanese culture account for his country's enthusiasm for all types of robots, including his.

The Japanese have always had an emotional attachment to tools,

which they view almost as friends, he says. For years Japanese decorated tools at the New Year, a practice now extended to automobiles, "We seem to ascribe feelings to them, perhaps because we work with them

Nor does he feel that robots could ever cause Japan harm, either by prompting unemployment or by achieving a superhuman intelligence.

What he does expect is to see industrial robots become more lifelike. "When robots become more sophisticated with sight, feelings and senses,

people will want them to look human." Mizuno says he wants his robots to be as lifelike as possible, but he has also promised himself never again to fashion a robot after a living person, like his Tomasaburo. "It was very difficult emotionally, and I grew jealous in a sense because when it was finished, the robot was no longer mine. It looks just like Tomasaburo, it moves like Tomasaburo is almost as if it is his now."

Indeed, Mizuno often seems like a protective parent. "When the robots were at the Matsuya department store, I sometimes hid behind a column to watch and see that they were all right," he confesses. "I always want them to perform well."

# The Art Market: Sotheby's Crisis

by Souren Melikian

ONDON -- The cat is out of the bag. With the release of its interim report and some of its end-of-season figures, Sotheby's, the leading auction house in the world, admits in effect that it is confronted with a major crisis.

When its auction season ends July 31, its worldwide net sales are expected to reach £267 million — 25 percent less than last season's all-time high of £353 million. Given the inflation rate, the drop is closer to a third in real terms. For the first time since World War II, Sotheby's will be in the red.
One reason — the only one strangely

nough, that commentators have considered has to do with financial strategy. Sotheby's ambitious expansion plan was launched in happier times. In New York, the decision to buy the Kodak building on York Avenue and remodel it as the world's largest auction house was made when the market stood at its highest. By the time the building was ready last Sep-tember, the market was sick and the volume of business shrinking fast. As a result, Sotheby's is now giving up its lease on its original and prestigious premises at 980 Madison Avenue.

In a parallel move, it is scrapping its auction house in Los Angeles. Its operations center in

California is downgraded to a regional office whose business is to drain goods for sale in New York — in practical terms, items worth \$10,000 up. The same story repeated itself in Britain on a lesser financial scale. In the last two years, regional offices sprouted all over the United Kingdom, accompanied by a corresponding increase in staff. Some offices will have to be

closed and layoffs have already reduced numbers from 2,000 worldwide to 1,450. This should save £4 million a year in salaries. All this points to a loss of control over the

growth process, even a slight touch of *folie de*s grandeurs perhaps. Commentators have had harsh words about Sotheby's financial policy. it is poor management, one analyst thundered, to use short-term borrowings to finance long-term investment — referring basically to the York Avenue location in New York.

The blame may be justified. It is equally true that the scramble for power triggered by Peter Wilson's resignation as chairman of the board in 1980 had devastating effects. For a year or so, it was difficult to determine just who was in charge of what in Sotheby's upper spheres. A lack of coordination leading to interference with the normal conduct of business hampered Sotheby's offices in continental Europe, which now account for 50 percent in value of the lots sold in London — a little-publicized figure that underlines Sotheby's phenomenal drive in recent years. Worse, Sotheby's best brains focused on the internal struggle instead of heeding outside perils.

The combined effect of overambitious in-

vestment and inner turmoil partly account for the company's losses. These amount to £942,000 for the six months that ended last Feb. 28. They will probably exceed £2 million for the financial year ending Aug. 31.

Yet this is not the crux of the problem. In itself the loss is not a serious problem, regretta-ble as it may be for shareholders. Already, this has been more than made up for by the sale of Nash House in London — which was not part of the auction premises - for £1.8 million and other assets. As a result, the company's net indebtedness will be reduced to well below the £7.2 million in the latest published balance sheet, that of last Aug. 31. There is no need to worry about Sotheby's financial predicament this year of the year after.

this year, or the year after.

What is more, the current storm has been weathered. The latest shake-up has eliminated some of the deadwood, brought back to the hub of affairs Peter Wilson, the world's auction grandmaster, and effectively put in com-mand Julian Thompson. As chairman of the board, Thompson enjoys the exceedingly rare advantage of being a great expert —one of the greatest — in his field, Chinese objets d'art, as well as one of the shrewdest businessmen in

If the shake-up is further extended to Sotheby's U.S. operation, which badly needs it, there won't be any more cause for worrying about Sotheby's as such. The obvious man to call in would seem to be Peregrine Pollen, who turned Parke Bernet Galleries from a floundering concern into a brilliant postwar auction success, played a leading role in building up the U.S. auction market generally and has the broadest vision in the field. Yet, according to the latest report, he is no longer with Sothe-by's. If confirmed, that would be one more in a

long list of misjudgments.

But there is a good deal else to worry about.

Sotheby's crisis has revealed a fundamental problem, the destabilization of the art market about which not a word has been written in this connection. If Sotheby's miscalculated, it was prompted to do so because catching a bigger share of the market has become an urgent necessity - hence the sprouting of regional offices and the ever-expanding staff.

The auction market mechanism has gotten

out of hand as a result of intense competition between auction houses; operating the auction system is getting inordinately expensive. The growing rarity of important — and less-im-- works of art available for sale makes it necessary for auction houses, if not to improve their "service," as they claim, at least to make themselves outwardly more attractive

They print better-looking catalogs with more color plates and longer, even endless, scholarly references. They organize traveling exhibitions to faraway Japan for the more-im-portant items. They try their hardest to offer the best terms to high-powered vendors in or-der to get works of art that will add to the glamour of their auctions. This means less -

sometimes even no --- revenue. The race for glamorous items has, moreover, led auctioneers to lose some of the prudence with which, until recently, they conducted business. This year, Sotheby's stumbled twice. The first mistake was the handling of the "Avar Treasure," a controversial group of gold and silver antiquities, supposedly from a seventh century A.D. find, which failed to convince. All but three minor lots remained unsold and even these eventually trickled back to Sotheby's, if my information is correct.

The second mistake was the Mizne sale of Impressionist and Modern Masters. Huge reserves and the personality of the seller, whose identity Sotheby's hopelessly endeav-ored to keep secret, proved fatal. In both cases, the effect was counterproductive, the loss of face being matched by the failure to make

Inexorably, an unprecedented inflation has been generated by competition between auction bouses combined with the natural decline of the total of available works of art. This decline occurs as more people are drawn into the game and more works get shunted off the auction track forever — or virtually forever — on entering museums. Something had to give. In-deed, something is now giving: Prices are climbing down, which means less revenue for auctioneers, even though it is still possible to claim a "world record" here and there for this or that master. On July 9, for example, Christie's sold for £226,800 a study for a ceiling done by Carlo Carlone in 1725. But unsold paintings included some great names and accounted for a third of the gross total.

A telling no-confidence motion against the auction system has just come ... from Chris-

By far the most important clock ever made by Thomas Tompion, a year-going clock designed for King William III around 1695-1700, was to be auctioned this week. It had a special catalog to itself. But two days before the auction, Christie's announced that it had just negotiated the clock's sale "by private treaty" to the British Museum for £500,000 net — free of taxes and duties to the owner, Lord Mostyn. For the vendor to get that amount at auction, a bid of about £800,000 would have been re-

Christie's decision, made in the best interests of its client, indicates that it was not sure of getting that sort of bid. True, if the catalog had not been printed and an auction not contemplated, the British Museum might not have felt the urge to negotiate. Or it would probably have made some ludicrously low offer. The threat of open competition was necessary to get the institution up on its feet.

In terms of salesmanship, Christie's act was impeccably performed. But this is no longer the auction game.

## **Should Women Phone for a Date?**

by Enid Nemy

EW YORK - He's just the kind of man she's been waiting for — intelligent, assured, amusing. But the cocktail party ends and there's no dinner invitation. So what? She's a young American professional, successful and liberatnan doesn't make the she'll pick up the telephone the next day and ask him for a date. These are the days of liberation, and sex role-playing is old-fashioned.

But somehow the fingers don't dial. Intellec-tually she's annoyed with herself, but logic is still running a poor second to tradition. In fact, if a sampling of young career women in New York and Washington is indicative, logic

is scarcely in the running.

Theoretically, it should be perfectly fine if a woman asks a man for a date, but I'm not comfortable with it," says Mary-Beth Corbett, who is with the Department of Commerce in Washington. "I'm embarrassed to admit I feel that way," she adds, "because it seems to me I should feel comfortable doing it, but I don't."

"I'm just old-fashioned, I guess," says Duane Garrison, the public relations director of Tiffany's. "I'd rather die than ask a man for a date. I'd rather stay home."

"It's not happening with me," said Pamela Clement, a 27-year-old vice president at Smith Barney, Harris Upham & Company, an investment banking firm. "I have to be aggressive all day in my business, and I don't like to be the aggressor in personal relations. I like to assume the female role." Clement admits that she would "certainly let a man know I was interested," and adds, "and then, if he can't

see a good thing...."

Most American women who are still reticent about asking a man for a date would agree with Kathy Novak, who is in her early 30s, that "habit is too ingrained, it's not in my nature to make the first move, there's still a shy-

ness, a hesitancy."
"Things haven't changed that much," says
Novak, a reporter for WOR Radio in New

"I don't think it's ever happened to me," responds Dr. Ronald Greisamer, a 28-year-old resident in orthopedic surgery at Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center, when asked if he had ever been sought as a date. "If it did, it would tell me something about the person, that she was a go-getter. He continues: "I don't think that would prejudice me one way or the other."

"Women may be initiating conversation and interaction more frequently than in the past. but I haven't found them asking for dates," says Kenneth Kaess, a 27-year-old account supervisor with Jordan, Case & McGrath, an advertising agency.

"Platonically, it's no problem," he continues. "But if there is a possible emotional in-volvement, women still tend to hang back and let the guy make the first step."

The women who won't dial a man they've iust met for a date will, however, pick up the telephone if it's a matter of being escorted to a dinner party or charity benefit. And many women have no hesitation whatsoever in asking a male friend they've known for some time to have dinner or go to a movie.

"I have a lot of male friends and I'd ask them to a movie or whatever, that's no big deal," says Patti Matson, a vice president at ABC Television. "I don't consider that a dating situation so much as doing things with

"I don't see anything wrong with asking someone for a date but I'd just as soon not," says 25-year-old Laurie Netter. "Theoretically, approve of the idea, but practically I can't do it. If I was interested, I'd probably find some other way of seeing him again. I'd find some party he'd be at or some way to run into him."

"I still feel that men don't like to be pursued," says Pat Guarnieri, a 26-year-old employee of the Food and Drug Law Institute in Washington. "I'd have reservations about phoning a man I just met, but I wouldn't hesitate about asking a male friend I've known for

As a number of other women have done,

Leslie Factor divides men into friends and "others where there is something more serious to it." She says she has no qualms about inviting male friends out, "but I wouldn't go to a cocktail party; and meet someone and ask

"I haven't reconciled the two aspects of my life," says Factor, who is 40 years old and a personnel manager. "I think I'm in the generation struggling between the traditional femal role and the feminist role."

Although most young women apparently still have grave reservations about making the first move, there are a few who do pick up the telephone when sufficiently motivated.

Dating is not like the bomb, it's not se rious." says Elizabeth Essex-Schantz, a law li-brarian in Washington. "When you take it in that spirit, it's no big deal. It's absolutely antiquated that someone should sit home waiting for their phone to ring."

Essex-Schantz, who is 30, said that her circle of close friends had no qualms about telephoning men they had just met, and that she did so quite often. "I'll give them a call the next day and say 'Hi, would you like to come over for dinner or go to a concert or something? said. "It's much more pleasant sometimes because you can pick and choose. They're usually so flattered that you automatically start out on a good footing. Their ego is so high they can't wait to take you out.

"Some women take dating too seriously," she continues. "There are men you wouldn' take home to Mother but are interesting and fun to be with. Men push all day and often they're shy about making the first move. They get out of the office and they want to collapse, and sometimes they're not as self-confident as they seem to be."

Essex-Schantz is a member of the Circle and Avenue Club in Washington, a group of single professional women who have a cocktail party every other month to which they invite single men. "The men love the parties," she reports. "They all want to be asked back."

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## Nazi Booty Continued from page 5W



Michelangelo's "Mask of a Faun."

to include outstanding works like the Van Ecyk altarpiece stolen from Ghent and discovered after the war in a salt mine where the Nazis had stored it.

While Hitler's agents combed Europe for the Linz collection, lesser lights of the Nazi party followed suit. The most active was Reichsmarschall Herman Göring. who adored Renaissance art and tapestries. In 1941 alone, 36 crates of art, including an entire Venetian ceiling were shipped back to Kar-inhall, his castle north of Berlin. His collection, ranging from Cranachs to Impressionists, proba-

bly was Europe's finest.

In the closing months of the war, Allied fine arts commissions followed the troops into liberated areas and immediately started locating, identifying and returning tens of thousands of works of art stolen by the Nazis. But many masterpieces proved untraceable: Siviero's book lists paintings by Ti-tian, Raphael, Rubens, Van Dyck and Canaletto, modern works by Manet and Rodin, coin collections, sets of Stradivari violins.

Many Germans hid plundered art or even raided their own museums for paintings to be bartered with the Americans. A single can-vas rolled under a jacket sleeve, for example, could be post-war capital for a Nazi escaping to South America, where investigators say many missing masterpieces are hidden today.

U.S. and other allied soldiers then stole from the Nazis' loot. G.I.'s convoying art back to its European owners sometimes succumbed to the temptation of appropriating a choice item - a Cellini tray, say, or a Dürer portrait -and smuggled it home. As the occupation armies went

home. Siviero started the international hunt for the missing works, joined by Wiesenthal, Maurer and others such as the painter Jacques Hossiason, now dead, of France's Center for Contemporary Jewish Documentation. They were faced with legal and

political complications in connection with Eastern European countries. The Soviet Union has never returned anything. And the West, for years, refused to return objects eastward because it did not recognize Soviet-imposed governments. U.S. practice has changed since de-tente and the recognition of East Germany: the Durers, for exampie, would not have been returned a decade ago.

Meanwhile both Germanys each claiming to be the legitimate representative of the German nation — still do not exchange works. West Germany, for exampie, refuses to return the Nefertiti bust that belongs in the Pergamon Museum in East Berlin. "It's remarkable that before the war Germany's Egyptian collections were all in one place, the Pergamon, and then after the war all the small stuff, the movable objects, mostly turned up in what became West Berlin," a curator says.

Against this shifting background. Siviero's numerous recent recoveries seem to bear out his contention that a lot of the stolen art is entering the market. The Paris police recently sent

Siviero's office a collection of coins looted from Napoli during the war. Last month he received a 16th-century landscape that had been brought for reframing to a Paris dealer, who recognized the museum's initials stamped on the canvas and forwarded the painting to Rome. "My customer won" dare complain or even ask questions; he'll run from the shop as soon as I tell him I spotted the painting's origin," the dealer told Siviero. Less-scrupulous dealers increas

ingly look the other way, according to Maurer, who cites the case of a stolen Chagall that recently went through the hands of dealers in Basel, Brussels and Paris before it reached New York and was impounded. "People are beginning to think the heat's off," he says. More of the missing hoard may

be uncarthed soon near Karinball where part of Göring's loot is be lieved to be buried. Last year some uable porcelain was fou with the help of a sketch map brought to East Berlin by a man who gave his name as Weber. Weber, who says he represents a

former Nazi officer probably living in South America, insists that he can help locate two suitcases of jewelry and nearly 50 cases of missing paintings — if a big enough reward is offered. Siviero fears Weber may just be

the latest in a long line of swin-dlers who have tried to extract rewards for nonexistent treasures. but he werries that sellers' desire to cash in and the authorities' growing indifference may finally legalize what remains one of the greatest art pillages in history.

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## **Around Galleries in London**

by Max Wykes Joyce

ONDON - It would be an impossi bly finicky art lover who could find nothing of interest in current gallery shows here, ranging as they do from 16th-century Italian painting to contemporary Arab prints.

The 16th-century exhibition at Colnaghi, 14 Old Bond Street, W.I. to Aug. 7, titled Discoveries of the Cinquecento, includes in its 42 items portrayals of the "Madonna and Child" by Piero di Cosimo, Parmigianino, Bronzino, and Bronzino's chief pupil, Allori; portraits by Titian, Bronzino and Leandro Bassano, and an exquisite tondo panel "Head of a Woman" by Sebastiano del Piombo, formerly attributed to Andrea del Sarto.

Contemporary Arab Graphics at Graffiti, 30 James Street, W.1, to July 31 consists of selected images by 10 artists including the Algerian Rachid Koraichi (etchings), the Iraqis Dia al-Azzawi (screen-prints) and Suha Yusel (etchings), the Egyptian Menhat Helmy (etchings) and the Moroccan Hachmi Azza (mezzotints). This is an especially interesting show and it weds Arab imagery with Western printing

The Far East contributes part of the fantas-

tic imagery to the paintings of Marie Hugo, who shows at the Wraxall gallery, 25 Cheval

Place, S.W.7. to July 29. She has inherited the

talent of her father, Jean Hugo, for muse-en-scene, and the facility of imagination of her great-great-grandfather, Victor Hugo, combin-

ing the two strands and adding her own peculiar qualities of observation and execution to an enchanting show, her first in Eng-

Another fantasist, but this time in the English Romantic tradition, is Alan Reynolds, whose early work, 1953-64, has been gathered at Agnew's, 3 Albemarie Street, W.I. to Aug. 20. Born in 1926, he grew up in rural East Anglia and was self-taught to the age of 21. His work in the decade under review evolved from the poetic montage "Time and Winter: Pattern" to the austerely mathematical "Composition with White Ovoid." As the late Eric Newton so pertinently summarized this devel-opment. "The vocabulary of Constable has become finally obsolete: that of Mondrian has partially taken its place."

The young English painter Dorian Ker also lives in East Anglia, but takes as his exemplars the Italian artists of the late Middle Ages and early Renaissance to the extent of using their method of working in tempera and gold leaf on gesso panels.

His principal theme in this exhibition at Roy Miles Fine Printings, 6 Duke Street, St. James's, S.W.I., extended to run to Aug. 14, is of flower pieces in Gothic shrines or in architectural settings, combining history, representation and fantasy in an original and pleasing

The most famous Sunday painter in the West was without doubt Sir Winston Charchill, a selection of whose work is to be seen to July 30 at Wylma Wayne Fine Art, 17 Old

As early as 1925 he won a prize for a paint-

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ing entered anonymously in an amateur com-petition, awarded by the unanimous decision of the painter Sir Oswald Birley, the dealer Lord Duveen, and the art historian Kenneth (now Lord) Clark. At his best he was a fine Post-Impressionist in the French tradition, as is demonstrated in this show by such works as "The Dining Room at Knebworth" (c. 1928), "Terrace Near Florence" (c. 1935), "Bridge near Aix-en-Provence" (c. 1948), and above all "The Goldrish Pool at Chartwell" (c. 1932), which could happily hang in any major gallery.

A summer exhibition of Contemporary English Artists is to be found at the recently opened Gillian Jason Gallery, 42 Inverness Street, N.W.I. Of particular interest here are oils and watercolors by Carol Wyatt, the fanatsy mixed-media works of one of her sm-

dents. Gwyneth Stark, and the powerful "abstract" bronzes of Richard Rome. In the matter of sculpture, there are two major shows not to be missed -- Recent Tapestries, Drawings, Bronzes and Graphics of Hen-ry Moore at Fischer Fine Art. 30 King Street, St. James's, S.W.1. and Carvings by Barbara Hepworth at Malborough Fine Art, 6 Albermarle Street, W.1., which range from the grey alabaster "Figure" of 1933 to the white marble

"Small one, two, three (Vertical)" of 1975. Finally, at Goldsmith's Hall, Foster Lane, E.C.2. to July 22, is a celebration of 50 Years of Silversmithing by Leslie Durbin. His most famous creation is the Sword of Honor for Stalingrad (now Volgograd) presented to that city by King George VI in 1943; but the 170 exhibits show the vast range of this still-active artist-

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# U.S. Railroads Get

Loan for Coal Plan

New York Times Service

CHICAGO — Chicago & North Western
Transportation Co. and Union Pacific Corp.
have announced an agreement with a syndicate of 12 banks to provide \$345 million to
finance construction of the Wyoming Powder
River Basin coal project.

The banks — led by Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co. First National Bank of Chicago,
Mellon Bank, Canadian Imperial Bank of
Commerce and Union Bank of Switzerland —
agreed to lend the two railroad companies 75
percent of the \$460 million needed to finance
the project and made a commitment to provide
an additional \$69 million in case of cost overruns.

Union Pacific is to contribute \$266 million to

an additional \$69 million in case of cost overruns.

Union Pacific is to contribute \$96 million to
the finance package, and Chicago & North
Western \$25 million.

The Wyoming Powder River Basin is the
largest single deposit of low-sulfur coal in the
United States. Chicago & North Western and
Union Pacific plan to hand the coal through a
series of connecting lines.

The companies are to use the financing to
pay off Burlington Northern Inc., which currently operates a railroad line to hand the coal;
rebuild 45 miles (72 kilometers) of railroad
track in east-central Wyoming, and build a
new 56-mile railroad line connecting Chicago
& North Western's southern Wyoming line
with Union Pacific's line in western Nebraska.

### **BUSINESS BRIEFS**

### Venezuela to Increase Its Oil Output

CARACAS - Venezuela will increase its oil production, Energy and Mines Minister Humberto Calderón Berti said Friday.

He said the country will produce at a level allowing it to reach its export goal for the year of 1.42 million barrels a day. Industry sources noted that flornestic consumption totals 359,000 to 400,000 barrels a day. implying production of around 1.8 million barrels a day for the rest of the year if Venezuela is to meet the export target.

Venezuela has so far kept strictly to an OPEC output quota of 1.5 million barrels a day. But OPEC ministers failed to agree earlier this month on extending the quota system, and Mr. Calderon Berti said he would not feel obliged to honor the lapsed system if other members did

### Massey Suspends Interest Payments

TORONTO - Massey-Ferguson Ltd. last month suspended cash interest payments on \$330 million in loans to its 24 banks in North America, the company disclosed Friday.

A spokesman said the suspension will save the farm machinery maker

about \$5 million a month. He said the banks were notified in advance of the suspension. Cash is in short supply in the period just before the fourth quarter, ending Oct. 31, which is usually the company's strongest

#### Batus, FTC in Divestiture Accord

WASHINGTON — The Federal Trade Commission and Batus Inc. have reached an agreement setting the FTC's complaint that the company's \$365-million purchase of Marshall Field may have reduced retail department store competition in the area around Milwankee, Wis.

Under the consent agreement, Banus, a unit of B.A.T. Industries, agreed to sell at least one of its retail department stores in the Milwaukee

area, the commission said Thursday. Batos is the largest department store retailer in the Milwaukee area with seven Gimbel Brothers and 14 Kohl's Discount stores, while Marshall Field was eighth. The agreement requires Bains to reduce its Milwaukee area floor space by at least 200,000 square feet and its annual sales volume by at least \$20 million, or about 9 percent, the FTC said.

#### Dome Says LNG Financing Set

CALGARY, Alberta — Dome Petroleum said Friday that Japanese financing for its British Columbia liquified natural gas has been secured for most of the project "at very favorable rates." Thursday, the British Columbia government said the consortium led

by Dome Petroleum was picked over two other groups to develop an Dome said financing is committed for the liquifaction plant and termi-

nal, to be located on the british Columbia coast. It said a separate company will build, finance and operate the pipeline, and any additional capital will come from project partners.

Compiled From Agency Dispatches

### **EEC Officials Reported** To Plan Retaliation For U.S. Steel Curbs

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatcher submit any proposals to their re-BRUSSEIS — The European spective steel industries for ap-Economic Community pressed on proval." Friday with its protest against U.S. restrictions on steel trade as offithat a solution is not in sight.

EEC Commission has decided to memerianes and results subsidized steel exports propose legal action against aled subsidies on U.S. exports to Western Europe. In what the sources described as a retaliatory move, the commission is to urge EEC foreign ministers next-week to again challenge the U.S. system of Domestic International Sales Corporations, or DISCs. The sys-tem allows U.S. exporters to defer Britain, apply to more than three

The legal challenge would be lodged with the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, which has already said that some aspects of the DISC system amount to export subsidies. GATT has left open, however, the question of whether the DISC system has actually caused injury to U.S. trade

#### Pressure on Reagan

By seeking approval for retalia-tory measures from the GATT council, the community hopes to gain leverage to make Washington change its mind about restricting steel imports, the sources said.

An authorization by GATT would not allow the EEC to take measures immediately. The trade agency would have to estimate the value of the damage caused, and the community would have to decide in which sectors to introduce countervailing duties or to seek re-ductions in GATT quotas for U.S. products, the sources said.

In Washington, the EEC's industry commissioner, Etienne Da-vignon, and external affairs com-missioner, Wilhelm Haferkamp, held trade talks Thursday and Friday with Commerce Secretary Malcolm Baldrige and other top

"They're extremely worried by the hard and firm line taken by the U.S. steel lobby," an EEC source in Brussels said. "They are asking the Reagan administration to resist sures and to take account of the interests of the American

- A U.S. spokesman commented: Both sides agree the best solution. is a negotiated settlement, but it The steel dispute empted last

restrictions on steel trade as offi-cials on both sides acknowledged bepartment ruled that West Ger-that a solution is not in sight. nat a solution is not in sight.

Diplomatic sources here said the Netherlands and Luxembourg had

The duties are to become definitive Aug. 24 unless an agreement is reached on the level of European steel exports by July 24. The duties, ranging from 0.5 percent for West Germany to 40 percent for million tons of steel exported to the United States last year and valned at between \$1.3 and \$1.5 bil-

The dispute comes at a time of overproduction and falling de-mand on both sides of the Atlantic. Mr. Davignon told EEC steel specialists on July 7 that the quarter that began July I "will be the worst that has been experienced for a long time." Two days later, in Washington, Mr. Baldrige predict-ed that the U.S. steel industry would report a total loss of up to \$1 billion in each remaining quar-

ter of the year.



Saxon Industries: From Modest Earnings to a Big Loss

William J. Scharffenberger, president and chief executive officer of Saxon Industries.

### Sorting Out the Saxon Mystery: Wide 'Discrepancies' or 'Fraud'?

By Thomas J. Lueck . New York Times Service

NEW YORK — Three months after Saxon Industries' surprise filing for protection from creditors un-der U.S. bankruptcy law, the company's tangled financial condition remains mysterious.

Saxon, a paper products and business machines concern based in New York, had reported profits in each of the first three quarters of 1981. Suddenly, it announced an expected loss of \$47 million for all of 1981, filed for bankruptcy, and made a series of disclosures of false financial reports.

On June 21, the company said the value of inventory in its business products division had been overstated by about \$24 million. A week later, it said the overstatement may "substantially exceed" \$24 mil-

This week, William J. Scharffenberger, Saxon's president and chief executive officer since May 1, said in an interview at his Manhattan headquarters that the problem of 'false financial statements may also involve inventories at Saxon's paper products division and that sales and earnings reports for both divisions may be affected. He said wide discrepancies had been uncovered in reports prepared by the company's divisions and its corporate headquarters.

The problem was characterized in harsher terms by another Saxon director. "This has been a massive, elaborate fraud," said Hal A. Kroeger Jr., a St. Louis businessman and the company's largest shareholder, who obtained his board seat a year ago and describes himself as a "dissident."

"Saxon isn't some poor corporation that went bankrupt because of foreign competition or a domestic recession," Mr. Kroeger added. "This is a scandal —

NEW YORK - The U.S. money

supply as measured by M-1 grew by \$5.9 billion in the week ended

July 7, the Federal Reserve report-

ed Friday. The increase was rough-

into the banking system Friday,

giving rise to speculation about the likelihood of a cut soon in the dis-

count rate from its current 12 per-

The Fed, in its money supply re-

port, revised downward the \$3.7

billion decrease reported for the previous week. The Fed said the

The increase in the first week in

July, caused by the 10 percent tax

cut and a 7.4 percent increase in

The Fed also injected reserves

ly in line with most predictions.

the kind of thing that shouldn't have been allowed to happen in an American corporation.

Investigations of Saxon's record keeping and business procedures have been started on several fronts. Mr. Scharffenberger said the company was turning over any evidence of inaccurate records to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

A committee representing the company's creditors. including a group of banks with \$140 million in loans to Saxon, has planned a separate investigation. And the Federal Bankruptcy Court has ordered that an independent examiner be appointed to review the company's operations.

#### **Changing Auditors**

The company's auditors, Fox & Co., are to be replaced by Touche Ross & Co. as soon as Fox completes its audit of Saxon's 1981 results. Mr. Scharffenberger said the change was being made partly because ance in previous audits.

Albert M. DeBiccari, a partner in Fox's New York office who had managed the Saxon account, retired on June 1 at the age of 57. Dick Purcell, public relations director for Fox, declined to say whether Mr. DeBiccari's departure had any relation to Saxon's

bankruptcy.

Mr. Purcell also said Fox would have no comment on an allegation by Mr. Kroeger that it had failed to uncover discrepancies in Saxon's financial reports. Stanley Lurie, who was chief executive of Saxon for four years until May I, when he was named chairman, resigned abruptly on June 29. Mr. Kroeger said the resignation followed a meeting between a group of (Continued on Page 11, Col. 3)

# **Ambrosiano Unit Faces Growing Default Crisis**

note was not guaranteed by the Italian parent bank, the sources

Credit Suisse also had lead-managed a private placement totaling 25 million Swiss francs for Banco Ambrosiano Holding, but this was

not called in default because it is

maranteed by the Italian parent

International bankers said they

could absorb the burgeoning prob-lems of Banco Ambrosiano. While

confident that the bank's credit troubles would not cause lasting

damage to the international banking system, they said that Italy's credit standing might suffer unless there was quick action to resolve

In Rome, a source close to the Bank of Italy said he saw no im-mediate effects on Ambrosiano

shareholders because the Luxem-

bourg company's debts are frozen

The affairs of the holding com-

pany, which banking sources said owed an estimated \$300 million,

have been placed in the hands of a

bank, the sources said.

Ambrosiano's problems.

by the court action.

LUXEMBOURG - Banco Ambrosiano found its troubles getting added. worse Friday as a number of international banks followed the lead of two British banks in declaring the debt-ridden Italian bank in default on more than \$170 million in

Italy's largest private bank is the object of a major rescue effort and investigation following the disappearance and death of its president, Roberto Calvi, who left be-hind an estimated \$1.4 billion worth of unsecured loans made by the bank's Latin American subsidi-

An official of the Landesbank Stuttgart said Friday it took default action on a \$25-million loan because of a court order putting the affairs of Banco Ambrosiano's Luxembourg Holding company under judicial control.

Two major British banks, Midland and National Westminster, Thursday declared the Italian bank in default on \$115 million in

Midland said it acted against the Italian bank after it failed to meet an interest payment Monday on a \$40-million credit made to the Luxembourg subsidiary. National Westminster followed suit on a \$75-million loan.

The Lugano, Switzerland-based Gotthard Bank Friday joined Na-tional Westminster bank in calling a default on the \$75-million credit, Gotthard senior vice-president Sirio Bassi said.

The two banks were co-lead managers of the loan. Gotthard Bank is 45 percent owned by the Banco Ambrosiano Luxembourg subsidiary, which Gotthard de-clared in default. Later, Gotthard Bank declared a

default on all syndicated loans of Banco Ambrosiano Holding for which it is agent bank. But it declined to give any details on the amounts of such loans. Distancing Itself

Bankers said the move by Gotthard Bank to declare the loans in default is evidence of the Swiss effort to put some distance between it and Banco Ambrosiano.

Banking sources said Banque Bruxelles Lambert also called a de-fault Friday on a \$10-million loan to Ambrosiano.

Credit Suisse Friday called a default on a 50-million Swiss franc (\$23.5 million) floating-rate note issued by the Luxembourg subsidi-ary, banking sources said. The

# U.S. M-1 Higher as Rumors of Rate Cut Grow

ply figures due in the afternoon, Bond prices climbed Friday after the Fed added reserves.

In the secondary market for Treasury issues, intermediate maturities rose 14/32 point and longterm issues were up 17/32 point. Short-term Treasury issues advanced 11/32 point.

But the expectation of a discount rate cut is not unanimous among analysts. Leonard Santow, an economist

with J. Henry Schroder Bank & Trust, said Friday's move by the Fed has no special significance. He said the injection of reserves was dictated by seasonal factors, which are draining reserves in the current statement week, which

started Thursday. He said a discount rate cut is unlikely until money growth data Mr. Santow said the technique

the Fed is using to inject the necessary reserves in the current state ment week is more important than the timing of the move. He said that in the past the Fed

would use multi-day repurchase agreements to inject a substantial amount of reserves into the banking system in a given statement Thursday, however, the Fed ar-

ranged overnight repurchase agree-ments and returned Friday for a

Mr. Santow said the Fed has in recent weeks maintained high visibility when supplying reserves, at least partly to calm market nervousness in the aftermath of the Penn Square Bank failure.

### U.S. Reports Surge In Producer Prices 1.8-percent increase in May.

WASHINGTON - Wholesale prices last month jumped 1 per-cent, the sharpest rise in 15 months, while factory use fell to its lowest point since early 1975, the government reported Friday.

The resurgence of the producer prices index, which was level in May, was blamed on higher prices for gasoline and home heating oil. Even with the June rise, which

works out to an annual rate of 13.3 percent, the producer price index has risen just 3.5 percent over the past 12 months. For all of 1982, economists are predicting that wholesale price inflation will be 5 to 6 percent. This certainly isn't a move

toward double-digits" for the year, said James Annable, an economist at the First National Bank of Chicago. "There really just isn't any prospect short of a major oil dis-ruption in the Middle East for a return to double digits this year or The index was held down earlier in the year "because of erratic

movements in food and energy prices," he said. "We knew it We're paying some of that back Gasoline prices were up 4.1 per-

cent in June after falling 5.9 percent the month before. Heating oil costs rose 7 percent after falling 1.1 percent in May. Natural gas

local commissioner in Luxem-

bourg.

Italian press reports Friday said.

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that several unidentified British

and Arab banks had already

loaned Ambrosiano about \$30 mil-

lion to help cover its more pressing

three outside experts to examine

relations between the Vatican

bank, Istituto per le Opere di Reli-

gione, and Ambrosiano. The Vati-

can bank owns just under 2 per-cent of Banco Ambrosiano, mak-

ing it the fourth-largest sharehold-

The three also discussed the

complex relationship between the

Vatican bank and Ambrosiano

with the Vatican secretary of state, Cardinal Agostino Casaroli, and Archbishop Paul Marcinkus, head

of the Vatican bank.

The sources said the three bank-

ers, an American, a Swiss and an

Italian, were assured by Cardinal

Casaroli they would have full ac-

cess to all documents relating to their inquiry.

The Vatican this week called in

commitments.

"Moderation in energy prices ended dramatically in June, Donald Ratajczak of Georgia State University, one of the leading U.S. experts on inflation.

Jason Benderly, an economist for Washington Analysis Corp., said June's energy price rise was "the first of several large increases." For the first six months of the year, energy prices overall were down 17.1 percent, calculated an-

June, down from 0.7 percent in May and 1.6 percent in April. So far this year, food prices have risen at an annual rate of 8.8 percent Capital equipment costs rose 0.8

percent after climbing 0.4 percent in each of the three previous Meanwhile, U.S. factories oper-

ated at 69.8 percent of capacity in June, the lowest rate in seven years. Reporting the 10th decline in 11 months, the Federal Reserve said that "operating rates again declined for most major industry groupings." The only areas showing rises were petroleum products and motor vehicles and parts. "There's very little prospect that

capital spending will begin its re-covery before the end of the year," said Robert Ortner, the Commerce Department's chief economist.

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## NYSE Prices Register Small Gain

decrease was \$4.2 billion.

NEW YORK — Prices on the New York Stock Exchange retreated near the close Friday, giving up gains from earlier in the afternoon, but still closed slightly higher in heavy and erratic trading.

The Dow Jones industrial aver

age finished up 1.33 at 828.67
point with advances ahead of declines by about a 7-to-6 margin.
Volume eased to 54.7 million shares from the 61:1 million traded Thursday.

Analysts said stocks rallied in the afternoon when the Federal Reserve pumped money into the banking system and short-term in-

terest rates dropped quickly and sharply, sparking speculation the Fed would cut its discount rate from 12 percent. move caratically until it receives a

The market will continue to clear signal from the bond market because the stock market is very isn't expected soon. Baldrige and much a captive of the bond market Davignon must still go back and and the bond market is, in turn, a

captive of interest rates," said charles C. Reilly, vice president of Arnhold & S. Bleichroeder Inc., But factories operated at only and president of its Verus Capital Investment subsidiary.
While the recent softening of in-

terest rates has buoyed the stock market, Mr. Reilly noted, institutional and other professional trad-ers are still waiting to learn whether the recent increase in liquidity and concomitant softening of interest rates reflects a change in Federal Reserve policy or a short-term effort aimed at ameliorating the effects of the collapse of the Penn Square Bank in Oklahoma City." ened after Some traders were disturbed earnings.

June producer prices soared 1 percent, the largest jump in 15 months, with gasoline likes leading the way. However, wholesale prices over the past 12 months were up only 3.5 percent. Gasoline prices may rise again if to 31%.

69.8 percent of capacity in June, down from a 70.4 percent rate in On the NYSE floor, Mesa Petro-

discount rate cut."

leum was the most active issue, gaining 2 to 15%. Unconfirmed Wall Street reports of a possible takeover attempt by Louisiana Land & Exploration helped bolster the stock. Both companies declin-IBM was the second most ac-

Social Security payments, thus was more than offset in the previous

two weeks. Two weeks ago, the Fed reported that M-1 declined

The injection of reserves

through repurchase agreements took place when federal funds, the

rate banks on reserve banks lend

one another overnight, were trad-

ing at 12% percent. Soon after the

Fed announced the operation, the

funds rate slipped further to 121/2

David Jones, an economist with

the securities firm of Aubrey G.

Lanston, said, "The move signifi-

cantly improves the chances of a

ated concern over the money sup-

The lower fed funds rate allevi-

tive, closing at 66%, off 4. IBM earlier in the week had strengthened after reporting sharply higher General Electric added 1% to 694. GE recently announced it

agreed to sell its central air conditioning operations to Trane Co. Trane, which had come under pressure since then, Friday rose 11/8

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Shell Says War Not Yet a Threat Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON — The president and chief executive officer of Shell Oil has said that the conflict between Iran and Iraq is not yet a direct threat to world oil supplies.

"You wouldn't see any reaction in crude markets unless people begin to judge that the present conflict is going to spill over to other countries." John F. Bookout said Thursday.

Mr. Bookout said that the combined production of Iran and Iraq could be offset by increased production from other countries if those countries chose to meet the need. Only if

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oil from the Gulf area is approximately 35 percent of the non-Communist world's supply. The biggest producer is Saudi Arabia, which accounts for approximately 6.5 million barrels a day. Iran is next, with about 2.2 million barrels a day.

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The American Petroleum Institute said Thursday that U.S. oil imports rose 2.2 percent in June, the first year-to-year increase since October, 1979. Analysts said that the increase may mean that the drawdown in the nation's oil stocks may finally be near an end. But the API also said that demand for oil declined in June by 4.3 percent from the year before.

Mr. Bookout said that he believes there will be a "bottoming out" in the next few months of the drawdown in inventories and the slump in demand, which have combined to put pressure on OPEC to reduce production. By the final quarter of this year, demand for OPEC oil may increase to approximately 20 million barrels a day. Mr. Bookout predicted. Current demand is thought to be between 18.5 million and 19 million barrels a day.

If that happens, oil and gasoline prices should continue to move up slightly, although remaining below levels of a year ago, he said.

During the last year, refiners such as Shell, which had to pay prices set by long-term contracts, found themselves paying as much as \$6 a barrel more for crude than others who bought a larger proportion of their crude on the spot market, he said. At the same time, they were forced to meet price competition from other gasoline marketers. Continuing price increases will allow the oil companies to recover from the losses during that period, he said.

Shell announced Thursday that it has reduced the price it pays for domestic crude at its refineries by \$1 a barrel. The action could indicate a softening in demand or larger supplies available. Shell had raised prices on lime 23, but other major crude buyers had not followed Shell's increase.

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**AEG Signs Contract** For Radar Equipment FRANKFURT — AEG-Tele-funken said Friday it signed a con-tract worth 87 million Deutsche

marks (\$35 million) with Vanavia Aircraft of Munich to supply radar equipment for the Tornado multiequipment for the I ornato muni-role combat aircraft.

An AEG spokesman said the contract is the first stage of an or-der totaling more than 800 million marks, under which it expects to deliver around 500 radar units by 1988.

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Peru Car Building Plan

Reuters OSAKA, Japan — Daihntsu Motors said Friday it has reached a l0-year agreement with two Peruvian affiliates of Chrysler for the assembly of 4,000 small Daihatsu cars a year in Peru beginning late next year.

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Executive Killed in Spain United Press Internation MADRID — Gunmen thought to be Basque ETA terrorists killed a tobacco company executive in morning rush-hour traffic Friday

in a suburb of Bilbao.

Three-Year Low Compiled by Ow Staff From Dispatches
LONDON — Britain's annual
inflation rate fell to 9.2 percent in
the twelve months to June, its lowest level in three and a half years,
the government announced Friday. This compared with a 9.5 percent rate in the year ended May
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Lower food prices balanced the increase in the price of energy to reduce inflation. Last month, prices rose by 0.3 percent after a 0.7 percent increase in the previous month.

The news was welcomed by Cabinet ministers, who saw it as another success for the government's monetarist policy. They forecast that the rate could be down much faster than Sir Geoffrey Howe, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, had predicted last month in his budget speech.

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those countries chose to meet the need. Only if Saudi Arabia's production were threatened would the world oil supply be in jeopardy, he

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"The Sandis are the one country with sufficient production that, if you lost it all, it would tighten up the world supply," he said.

So far, events in the Mideast have not offset the soft oil market and high carrying costs enough to persuade oil companies to build big inventories, according to Mr. Bookout. He added that the situation is being reassessed constantly.

Companies are "trying to restore the price needed all along to meet the price of raw materials," he said.

Shell amounced Thursday that it has re-

# Penn Square Ignored Warnings, U.S. Says

By James L. Rowe Jr.

National Bank looked as if it were getting better last autumn but then went on a leading spree to oil and been arranged had word of the gas drillers that led to its failure bank's difficulties not leaked out of the current and unleashed a run by deposits. rency has testified.

at a special meeting of the House Banking Committee Thursday that in early 1980 his office had identified the Oklahoma City bank as a problem. After management promised, but failed, to take corrective steps, the comptroller's office ordered the bank in September. 1980, to slow its growth, improve its lending procedures, beef up its capital and get rid of its problem

The bank ignored the order for several months but, after increased pressure from the regulatory agency, a special supervisory examina-tion concluded in late October, showed modest improvement, Mr. Conover said. By the time the comptroller returned for an examination in late April, however, a deterioration in the bank's condition had offset the earlier

"As late as January, 1982, we believed the outlook to be favorable and that all substantive areas of concern were being addressed and corrected." Mr. Conover said. He said examiners expected to find an improved bank when they began what proved to be their last was an aberration. Despite the se examination of Penn Square. In-vere recession, only 268 banks are stead, they found a bank on the "problem" list, Mr. Isaac gan what proved to be their last brink of insolvency.

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Nevertheless, according to Mr. Conover and the chairman of the WASHINGTON - Penn Square. Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. William Isaac, a more orderly closing of Penn Square might have been arranged had word of the bank's difficulties not leaked out

"In brief, the story of Penn The official, C.T. Conover, said Square Bank is one of rapid and unicontrolled growth centered principally in poor-quality loans," Conover told the committee. "As is typical of banks with asset problems, Penn Square suffered from a variety of related ills, including, in this case, insufficient capital and

Mr. Conover and Mr. Isaac said

that the bank was replete with insider transactions and that bank officers and officials regularly took part in deals the bank was financing. Furthermore, they said, many of the documents that backed up the loans, such as engineering estimates of oil and gas reserves, often were fabricated or hyped. In addition, Penn Square's loan review department was not permitted to examine energy loans, which made up about 80 percent of the bank's cortfolio.

Mr. Conover said he would "rather not discuss any potential violations of the law" in the hearing because of potential indict-

Both Mr. Conover and Mr. Isaac said the Penn Square affair

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#### Depositors Raid Another Bank

New York Times Service
DALLAS — Abilene National Bank's depositors have withdrawn more than 10 percent of the bank's \$428 million in total deposits in the wake of a newspaper report last week that the bank had heavy losses on loans to oil-and-gas ventures.

The bank, which denounced the article in The Dallas Morning News as "grossly inaccurate," said Thursday that withdrawals had returned to "normal levels" but that it had suffered a net savings outflow of \$50 million since last Friday. The bank, based in Abilene, Texas, is one of a group of Texas banks that have attracted attention recently as a result of their heavy involvement in the type of loans to energy compa-nies that led to the July 5 collapse of Penn Square Bank of

Oklahoma City. Separately, the bank dis-closed Thursday that a former loan officer and a former customer are being investigated by the FBI on charges of engaging in illegal loan practices.

# U.S. Grants 5 Licenses for Microwave Systems

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches
WASHINGTON — The Federal Communications Commission has granted the first five licenses for a new type of microwave communication network that could provide competition for telephone compa-

By unanimous votes Thursday, the FCC authorized ISA Communications Services Inc., Satellite Business Systems, Contemporary Communications Corp., MCI Telecommunications Corp. and Tymnet Inc. to begin building what will be known as digital electronic message services. In approving ISA's construction permit, the FCC also ruled that the

recent takeover of the company by United Telephone System Inc., the nation's third-largest telephone company, would not bar its participation in the new field. Noting that the digital networks would not require interconnection with local telephone networks, the FCC said it did not appear that United could use its control of local telephone companies to compete unfairly.

All five companies are planning to build digital systems to span 30 or more major cities.

Digital electronic message services involve the construction of microwave radio links between office buildings inside a city and between those office buildings and a satellite antenna located outside the city.

The services are designed to overcome the problem of establishing a reliable local connection for computer networks at reasonable cost. While satellites can be used to beam information across the country in seconds, local telephone lines were not designed to move such information at high speed from the satellite antenna to a downtown office building.

The digital microwave networks would solve that problem and, in the process, offer an alternative to ordering expensive, specially designed facilities from a local telehone company.

"It is a relatively small business now and generates few revenues," a spokesman for MCI said, "but all of us hope the new high-speed capability, end-to-end, will prove more attractive to potential cus-

The FCC agreed last year to set aside radio frequencies for the spe-

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developed. The commission has Officials said Thursday that they expect another three or four

cial networks but did not antici-pate the level of interest that has the next three weeks. Additional licenses may be slowed, however, by the need to compare the qualifications of companies that ended up requesting the same frequencies.

ownership and dropping as many as possible, including the "7-7-1 rule," which limits each owner to

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low networks to buy cable systems,

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### U.S. to Let Networks **Enter Cable Business**

New York Times Service WASHINGTON - The Federal Communications Commission has proposed to drop a 12-year-old rule barring television networks from owning cable television systems, saying cable has come of age and no longer needs such protec-

In another action Thursday, the commission decided to drop all restrictions on the number of cable systems an individual or company

Mark S. Fowler, chairman of the commission, said that he was interested in examining all of the agency's complicated rules on media

available to him since he joined

Saxon. Other directors "will see ev-

erything I do," he said, adding that

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whether exceptions should be made to its proposed policy on ownership. The agency said it was inviting public comment on the new policy

before formally adopting it, possi-bly several months from now. After reviewing the comments, the commissioners may give the pro-posal formal approval or modify it in line with suggestions from the while neglecting to record its liabilpublic. They also have the option Mr. Scharffenberger said he, to drop the proposal, but that is considered unlikely. too, was surprised by the scarcity of reliable financial information

The television networks, particularly ABC, have been calling for two years for the elimination of the restrictions against network ownership of cable systems. But the networks reacted cautiously to the commission's first significant step toward doing so.

"We are very pleased," an ABC spokesman said, but he declined to speculate about whether the network plans to seek cable systems.

CBS has already won a waiver of the existing rules to buy a small cable system for demonstration purposes. A CBS spokesman said: "We have no plan at this time to go beyond the 90,000-subscriber system we want for demonstrating software. We have no interest in cable hardware except for the experience it can give us with con-sumers, and we think we can get it from a small system.

#### Biogen, Japanese Firm Reach Interferon Pact

NEW YORK — Biogen said Thursday that it has reached an agreement with Shionogi & Co. of Japan for the production of gam-

ma interferon.

Biogen said Shionogi will conduct clinical trials and pursue commercial development in Japan of gamma interferon, which is used as an anti-tumor and anti-viral agent, Further terms of the agreement were not announced

### Mexico Puts Airline Under State Control

Reuters
MEXICO CITY — The Mexican government has taken over trou-bled Mexicana de Aviación, Latin America's biggest carrier, the airline has announced

A brief statement Thursday said that the Transport Ministry has bought 54 percent of Mexicana, one of the world's top 20 carriers.

Financial details of the transaction were not disclosed, and it was not immediately clear whether the airline's 11,500 employees and 45 aircraft would be incorporated into the state airline, Aeromexico.

Last month, the Mexicana's director, Manuel Sosa de la Vega. told employees that this year was the worst in the company's 60-year history. He said that in February and March alone Mexicana had a loss of \$8 million, caused mainly by a plunge in the peso's value, which raised the airline's dollarpegged interest repayments and

forced wages up. Airline officials have said they hope the devaluation will bring an increase in tourist traffic and pull the company through the crisis. One official forecast a profit of \$19 million this year, but bankers with close ties to the airline said prospects are far bleaker.

An airline spokesman said Mexicana carried 8.2 million passengers last year, mainly on domestic and U.S. routes. In 1980, the airline carned about \$30 million, trade sources said.

Mexicana was controlled until 1968 by Pan American Airways, which sold it to private Mexican businessmen; the government took a small share.

The government takeover comes amid a global airline slump.



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### Saxon's Mystery: 'Discrepancies' or 'Fraud'?

board members and two senior Saxon executives at which the magnitude of inventory overstate-

ments was discussed. Mr. Lurie, who maintains a Manhattan residence with an un-published telephone number, could not be reached for comment on the company's problems.

#### New Chief's Optimism

In 1980, with sales of \$709.6 million, Saxon ranked as the 381stlargest publicly traded U.S. industrial concern. Of its sales, it derived the bulk from making and distributing paper and paper products. Its business products division which makes copying machines, contributed about one-fifth of the sales.

According to Saxon's reports, sales in last year's third quarter rose 9 percent from a year earlier to \$192.4 million, while profit plunged 54 percent to \$640,000, or 6 cents a share. The company has not released full figures for later

Despite the controversy surrounding his new employer, Mr. Scharffenberger said he was opti-mistic that its unprofitable businesses could be trimmed, that agreements could be reached with its creditors and that Saxon could be brought out of bankruptcy within two years. The suggestion of fraud makes

Scharffenberger, who had brought Continental Steel out of bankruptcy proceedings in March before joining Saxon. But my job is to manage this company through bankruptcy, and that's what I intend to concentrate on doing."

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an investment company in Tena-fly, N.J. Mr. Scharffenberger said divisions "clearly must have a fly, N.J. Mr. Scharffenberger said in the interview that even without the problems of inaccurate financial reports, Saxon "probably would be losing money in that business in the best of circumstances," given Saxon's limited copier line and tough competition in the field.

Although he and other Saxon executives will cooperate with the SEC and other investigative bodies. Mr. Scharffenberger said, the company has not begun its own investigation into who was responsible for the false financial statements. The outside investigations 'have crowded that stage," he said.

Mr. Kroeger, however, said Saxon is playing too passive a role in erreting out the extent and causes of its problems. He said managers

### Japanese Imports Worry U.K. Firms

LONDON — The Confederation of British Industry, Britain's largest employers' organization. Friday renewed its appeal to the government to set up a system to check the flow of Japanese im-

Sir Terence Reckett Director-General of the confederation, said he told Trade Secretary Lord Cockfield that "The CBI would like to see an early warning system to detect new surges in the flow of exports from Japan along the lines urged by the CBI at the end of last

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good idea of what has been going on, and they should be brought in on the carpet." Something Amiss

The president of Distribix Inc., a privately held St. Louis paper distributor, Mr. Kroeger won his seat on the board through an acrimonious proxy fight in which he sought, but did not obtain, three additional seats for allies within a stockholder group he controlled.

In a telephone interview, Mr. Kroeger said that he and other directors had received only sketchy reports on operations within Saxon's divisions. He said that since his first board meeting a year ago he has repeatedly asked for monthly balance sheets from the company but that they have never been delivered.

"I quickly became alarmed at the unwillingness of a company to provide information to one of its directors," he said. "It was clear that something was amiss."

One problem that Mr. Kroeger said he discovered in late 1981, and brought to the attention of the board, was a method used by the business products division in accounting for a copier sales and leasing procedure. The procedure, which is not unique in the industry, involved selling a copier to a client and finding another client to lease it. Saxon handled the leasing and service of the machine, while turning over lease payments to the

Mr. Kroeger said the procedure should have been accounted for as a "kind of financing" in which Saxon held a liability to make lease payments to its clients who owned copiers. But he said the company was accounting for the revenue it derived in the business.

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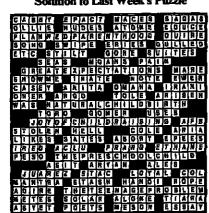
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him left Mussolini with no alternative

but to assume dictatorial powers,

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tend to seek, although they were hardly greater than those wielded by many

premiers of Italy who had preceded him.

Mack Smith's Mussolini, by con-

trast, gave orders that prompted one of his chief henchmen to instruct two

notorious Fascist hoodlums to kill

Matteotti thus removing the only

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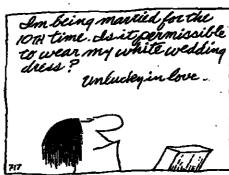






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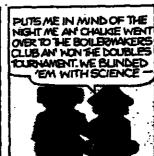




























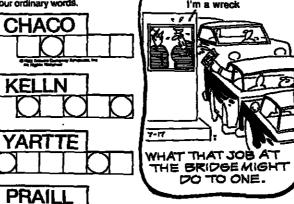




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Reviewed by W. Warren Wagar WHO was the first working-class subject. Joes' Mussolini, for example, had

Some clues may be helpful. He was a sensitive violin-playing intellectual, an ardent patriot who saved Italy from Red chaos and tyranny, transformed it into a modern industrial country, and gained the admiration of the whole world. In the 1930s he took initiatives to rally Europe against the Nazi menace.

But in the end he found himself

Italy.

If you do not recognize this man,

ly from one disaster to another. His regime consisted of little more than thuggery, sham, and bluster. He bears full personal responsibility for the many brutal wars of aggression that Italy fought during his rule, wars that increasingly revealed his thoroughgo-ing administrative incompetence.

#### Little in Common

The first set of clues is supplied in a new political biography of Benito Mussolini by the American scholar Anthony James Joes. The second set is taken from a new political biogra-phy of Mussolini by Denis Mack Smith of Oxford. The two books have little in common except their titles. Joes writes as if he were the lawyer for the defense in a postwar international tribunal. Mack Smith writes as if he were the chief prosecutor. Both men resort to all the tricks of the legal trade: omission of inconvenient evidence, consistently one-sided con-struction of doubtful sources, misleading quotation of witnesses, and all the rest. The characterizations of Mussolini that emerge from their labors are diametrically opposed, and almost equally unbelievable.

One must say "almost," because Mack Smith is clearly the better scholar Mack and departments his facture.

ar. He massively documents his factual statements, citing more than 1,200 sources in twice that many endnotes. Joes cites his sources haphazardly, and uses a more meager assortment. Mack Smith's rhetoric is more restrained. He slants his evidence less outrageously. He shuns Joes' irritating tactic of quoting apparently suppor-tive opinions from scholars who would emphatically reject his view of Mussolini. One of these sorely abused scholars is Denis Mack Smith himself, whose "Italy: A Modern History" (published in 1969) Joes cites at least

But Joes and Mack Smith both insult the intelligence of their readers by seeing little except the virtuous and

## **BOOKS**

MUSSOLINI: A Biography

the villainous, respectively, in their

premier of Italy? no responsibility whatever for the death of the Socialist deputy Matteotti in 1924. On the contrary, Matteotti may have been kidnapped by opponents of the Duce's program of natack after nothing worse than a beat-ing. Joes' Mussolini agonized over the affair, suffering the first episode of se-

driven into an alliance with Adolf Hitler, the one "fatal mistake of his life." He died bravely, victim of a gangland-style roadside assassination ordered in April, 1945, by Communist boss Palmiro Togliatti, who feared that if the now-deposed premier fell into the hands of the advancing American troops, he would make "embarrassing disclosures" about the Communist reign of terror in northern

another set of clues is available. He was a sullen paranoid bully and pathological liar, who saw ideas only as weapons to be employed or dis-carded as circumstances required, in a single-minded struggle for political power. He imposed a ruthless dicta-torship on a divided nation that failed to understand until too late how dangerous he really was. Once installed in power, he led Ita-

#### As Complex as Watergate Which story is true? The Matteotti

affair is at least as complex as the Watergate scandal. All the pertinent facts will probably never come to light, and it is unlikely that anyone now alive knows exactly what happened, or why. But every fact or surmise offered by Joes is intended to advance the case for Mussolini's innocence and every one offered by Mack Smith is intended to advance the case for his guilt.

This is not to say that Joes and Mack Smith always disagree. Joes repeatedly proclaims and Mack Smith grudgingly concedes that Mussolini was far less inhumane than Hitler or Stalin. They both see Italy's role in World War II as a catastrophe for the Italian people, and assign to Mussolini most of the blame. They both deplore his choice of second-rate sycophants for aides and ministers. But history is not well served by the

fireworks of the law court. Nor have the various earlier biographies of Mussolini served it much better, with the possible exception of the multiwhich is not yet finished and not yet translated. We still have no sober, comprehensive, and scrupulous account in English of the most important Italian of the 20th century. Good biographies of Hitler abound. We must wait a while longer for someone to make sense of Mussolini.

W. Warren Wagar, who teaches mod-ern European history at the State Uni-versity of New York at Binghamton, is the author, among other books, of the forthcoming "Terminal Visions: The Literature of Last Things." He wrote this review for The Washington Post

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### **SPORTS**

#### Tigers Rout Twins, 18-2, With 19 Hits MINNEAPOLIS -- Lance Partish hit a two-run homer to cap an 11-run first inning and Tom Brookens and Alan Trammell hit back-to-back homers in the fourth Thursday night to pace a 19 hit at-

tack that carried the Detroit Tigera

to an 18-2 rout of the Minnesota RBI of the game. Dan Petry (9-6) gave up seven hits and two runs in six innings to get the victory. Kevin Saucier worked the last three innings for his fifth save.

Lou Whitaker opened the game with a single off Jack O'Connor (2-3). Chet Lemon doubled in Whitaker and scored on a single by Larry Herndon Parrish singled and, one out later, Enos Cabell doubled to score Herndon John Wockenfuss and Brookens followed with RBI singles, and Trammell was safe on an error by short-stop Ron Washington. Whitaker hit into a fielder's choice to score Wockenfuss, and after Lemon walked to load the bases, Herndon cleared them with a double to leftcenter. Parrish then followed with his 14th homer of the season. The

"This was one of those games when our hitting was just on," Brookens said. "You can write it off as one of those days and it probably wouldn't have mattered f Nolan Ryan was pitching."

Tigers went to bat 14 times in the

lowed with his homer for a 15-1

Consecutive doubles by Whitaker and Lemon made it 16-2 in the (10-6) took the loss. sixth, and the Tigers added a pair of runs in the eighth on a sacrifice fly by Bill Fahey and a run-scoring force-out by Herndon, his fifth

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At Milwankee, Ted Simmons doubled home a run in the first inning and singled to start a three-

BASEBALL ROUNDUP

run fourth to lead Milwaukee to an 8-4 victory over Chicago in the opening game of a doubleheader. In the nightcap, Cecil Cooper lined a two-out single in the bottom of the eighth to score Paul Molitor with the winning run as the Brewers triumphed, 5-4.

Yankees 2, A's 1

At New York, Graig Nettles who had left five runners stranded in his previous two at-bats, homered with two out in the bottom of the eighth inning to lift New York to a 2-1 victory over

Red Sox 5, Royals 3

At Boston, Dwight Evans drove in four runs with a homer and a single to power Boston to a 5-3 victory over Kansas City. Trailing, 3-

# Brookens hit a three-run homer in the fourth, and Tranmell follows. Won't Hurt Toy over Kansas City. Trailing 3-cago, Phil Niekro's two-run double in the third inning helped Atlanta to an 11-4 rout of Chicago. Dale Murphy and Bruce Benedict chipped in with two-run homers while Niekro (7-3) walked one and struck out five. The veteran knuckleballer has now won 247 games Togo over Kansas City. Trailing 3-cago, Phil Niekro's two-run double in the third inning helped Atlanta to an 11-4 rout of Chicago. Dale Murphy and Bruce Benedict chipped in with two-run homers while Niekro (7-3) walked one and struck out five. The veteran knuckleballer has now won 247 games Togo over Kansas City. Trailing 3-cago, Phil Niekro's two-run double in the third inning helped Atlanta to an 11-4 rout of Chicago. Dale Murphy and Bruce Benedict chipped in with two-run homers while Niekro (7-3) walked one and struck out five. The veteran knuckleballer has now won 247 games **Quality of London Meet**

By Peter Osnos neton Post Service

LONDON - What started out to be a decisive test of skill this weekend between Britain's two great world-class runners, Steve Overt and Sebastian Coe, has been transformed into something different. But it should turn out to be a memorable race anyway.

A stress fracture has forced Coe to withdraw from the 3,000-meter race Saturday might at the Crystal Palace. But organizers have succeeded in gathering many of the of a 1,500-meter race in Paris and world's other top middle-distance runners, and observers here are predicting the best race in Britain colic, dehydration and exhaustion, since the 1948 Olympics.

Among the competitors will be

record holders in the mile, 1,500 meters, 3,000 meters and 5,000 meters from the United States, Britain, Kenya, New Zealand and West Germany. The field will mclude three of the four best 3,000meter specialists.

The American contingent will include Steve Scott, who set the the previous record. Of Moor-U.S. mile record at 3.47.69 in Oslo. He holds the world's third-best was a super, stupendous run, one time in the 3,000 meters. The oth- of the greatest athletic perforers are Sydney Marce, a South Af- mances of all time. rica who is applying for U.S. citizenship, Ralph King and Doug Padilla, the latter having paced marathon star Alberto Salazar in a recent 5,000-meters race the probable pace-setter for Saturday's

The British participants feature
Ovett, a world record holder and Olympic champion whose rivalry. Coe has enlivened British track. Ovett was injured last winter been clocking some of the fastest and had knee surgery. He has been times of his career.

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coming back gradually, hoping to be at top form for his meetings

They were to include an 800meter race in Nice next month and a mile in Engene, Ore., in September. Coe's injury has raised doubts about the other races, keeping alive at least for now the mystery of which of the two Britons is actually the faster. A "golden mile" in 1980 was scrubbed because of an injury to Coe. 😗

was taken to a hospital, where he was diagnosed as suffering from probably a result of too fast a return from his injury. But doctors have approved Ovett's appearance Saturday. The other British entry is a new

star, David Moorcroft, who broke the world 5,000-meter record in Oslo last week, coming in at 13 minutes and 42 hundredths of a second, several seconds faster than croft's performance, Coe said: "It

Kenya is sending Henry Rono, who holds the world mark in the 3,000 at 7:32.1, set in 1978. On hand will be another talented Kenyan, Peter Koech.

Thomas Wessinghage of West Germany and John Walker of New Zealand, two other outstanding milers will be on hand. Wes-singhage is the fourth fastest 3,000meter runner, and Walker has

### **SPORTS BRIEFS**

#### Breu Takes Tour Leg by 35 Seconds

SAINT-LARY SOULAN, France — Beat Bren of Switzerland won a 75-mile run (121 kilometers) through the Pyrenees Friday from Pau to Saint-Lary Soulan to take the 13th leg of the Tour de France bicycling race. Bernard Hinsult of France retained the yellow jersey as overall

It was the second mountain leg of the race, and Bren won it going away, covering the distance in three hours, 40.27 minutes and finishing 35 seconds ahead of Robert Alban of France. Alberto Fernandez of Spain was third, 40 seconds off the winning

pace, followed by Bernard Vallet and Raymond Martin of France. Finault's sixth place finish consolidated his overall lead over Phil Anderson of Australia and Joop Zoetemelk of the Netherlands.

#### Schumacher Apologizes to Battiston

METZ, France — Harald Schumacher, goalkeeper for the West German national soccer team, has apologized to Patrick Battiston of France for the incident that led to Battiston being carried off by stretcher during the World Cup semifinals last week in Spain.

In the match — won on penalties by the West Germans — Schumacher raced out of his goal and appeared to hard himself at Battiston's chest

and head as the French player broke through. Battiston revealed Thursday that he not only lost two teeth but also broke a small bone in his

The two players met at a press conference Thursday night, and Schumacher apologized to Battiston, saying it had happened because he was nervous. Battiston, who will be out of action for several weeks, said: "I feel no anger or resentment toward Schumacher."

### Gomez Sets Another Title Defense

NEW YORK — Wilfredo Gomez will defend his World Boxing Council super bantamweight title for the 16th time on Aug. 18, when he will fight Roberto Rubaldino of Mexico, promoter Don King has an-Gomez, a native of Puerto Rico, is 36-1-1, and all of his victories have

been by knockouts. His only loss was an eight-round TKO last year to Salvador Sanchez, the WBC featherweight champion.

#### Tennis Around the World...

ZELL AM SEE, Austria - José-Luis Clerc breezed past Bruce Manson in 48 minutes Friday, 6-1, 6-1, to reach the semifinals of a WCT tournament here. Clerc will meet José Higneras for a place in the final. Higneras defeated Wojtek Fibak, 6-4, 6-3. The other semifinal was to match Heinz Guenthardt against Tomas Smid of Czechoslovakia, who defeated Pavel Slozil, 6-2, 6-2.
In Stritgart, Peter Elter of West Germany beat Marcos Hocevar of

Brazil 6-3, 6-2, to reach the semifinals of a Grand Prix tournament: Ramesh Krishnan of India also made the final four, beating Florin Segarceanu of Romania, 6-2, 7-5.

In Bastad, Sweden, Mats Wilander reached the quarterfinals of the

Swedish Open Grand Prix tournament, defeating Stefan Simonsson, 6-3, 7-5. On Sahurday, Wilander was to face José Lopez-Maeso of Spain.

And in Brookline, Mass., Guillermo Vilas reached the quarterfinals of

the 55th U.S. pro championships with a 7-5, 6-0 victory over Tom Cam on Thursday-night. Also advancing were Alejandro Ganzabal, who beat First Telescher, 2-6, 7-6, 6-1, and Fernando Lima, a 6-2, 6-0 winner over Jim Delancy.

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capped by Evans' three-run homer. in the majors, including 26 over Tom Burgmeier (4-0) earned the the Cubs. victory in relief while Larry Gura

#### At St. Louis, Cesar Cedeño keyed a five-run third inning with an RBI double to help Cincinnati Angels 8, Indians 2

At Cleveland, Fred Lynn hit the first grand slam of his career and beat St. Louis, 7-3. Bobby Grich and Brian Downing added bases-empty home runs to lead California to its lifth straight three hits — including a home run — and four RBIs to lead Pittsvictory, an 8-2 triumph over Cleve-land. Dave Goltz pitched a threeburgh past Houston, 5-1. John hitter in snapping the Indians' Candelaria (5-4) pitched 61/3 innings, and Rod Scurry finished up three-game winning streak.

#### Orioles 3, Mariners 2

At Baltimore, Al Bumbry hit a two-run homer and Scott McGregor won his 11th game of the year in helping Baltimore beat Seattle, 3-2. Bumbry, whose only two homers this year have come off Jim Beattie, gave the Orioles a 3-0 lead in the third with his home run over the left-field fence following a single by Lenn Sakata.

#### Blue Jays 5, Rangers 1

to lead New York to a 5-2 victory At Toronto, Barry Bonnell hit a over Los Angeles. Jerry Reuss (9-7) retired the first 11 batters before o-run homer and Jesse Barfield followed with a bases-empty blast to cap a four-run third inning that out in the fourth and Kingman hit his 22d homer. Charlie Pulco (7-6) carried Toronto to a 5-1 victory over Texas. Dave Stieb pitched an eight-hitter in going the distance for the triumph.

#### Braves 11, Cubs 4

In the National League, at Chicago, Phil Niekro's two-run double

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#### Phillies 2, Giants 1 At San Francisco, Gary

Matthews hit a two-run homer in the eighth to lead Philadelphia

Reds 7, Cardinals 3

Pirates 5, Astros 1

Expos 6, Padres 2

At San Diego, Charlie Lea pitched a three-hitter and Gary

Carter and Chris Speier each drove

in a pair of runs in a five-run fourth inning to lead Montreal

Mets 5, Dodgers 2

At Los Angeles, Dave Kingman and Mookie Wilson hit home runs

George Foster singled with two

to earn his sixth save.

past San Diego, 6-2.

At Houston, Dave Parker had



Bobby Clampett threw the ball to the crowd after shooting a 66 in the second round of the British Open for 11-under-par 133.

#### council would contact the players By Bart Barnes

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NEW YORK - Negotiations between the National Football League and the NFL Players Association recessed eight hours before their collective bargaining agree-ment expired at midnight Thurs-

In the day's bitter bargaining session, management rejected a union proposal that the league fund a counseling program that would include treatment for players dependent on illegal drugs. "It just shows an incredible degree of insensitivity to the needs of the players," said Joseph A. Ya-

blonski, a special counsel to the NFLPA. "We believe the league has already started down the path of a drug program that is preventive in nature and is aimed at rehabilitation," said Jack Donlan, executive

director of the NFL Management

Council, the league's labor negotiating arm. As three days of talks broke off,

Donlan . said the management

association early next week about resuming negotiations in Washington. But, Donlan said, "We're going nowhere and not so rapid-

As the midnight expiration of the contract passed, the status of unsigned rookies remained clouded, but their number swiftly dwin-

#### Three first-round draft choices

remain unsigned: Darrin Nelson, Minnesota; Mike Munchak, Houston, and Marcus Allen, Oakland. Just beating the deadline were Glen Collins of Cincinnati, Sean Farrell of Tampa Bay and Jim McMahon of Chicago. McMahon signed a Bear contract a day after a West Coast meeting with George Allen of the U.S. Football League's Chicago franchise. Allen denied making McMahon an offer, but Jim Finks, a Bear executive, said: "I wonder why Allen met with him if he wasn't making him an offer? Union and management agree

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that unsigned rookies no longer will be able to negotiate directly with their clubs after the contract expires. If unsigned, they will not be able to report to training camp. Donlan contends that an un-

signed rookie still has the option of signing his club's last best offer. But Ed Garvey, executive director of the union, disagrees, contending that the union has the power to void such agreements by going to the National Labor Relations

week the players formally turned down management's first compre-hensive proposal, which provided for increases in minimum wages, fringe benefits, playoff and Super Bowl bonuses and eased restrictions on a player's movement from one team to another. Management already had rejected the union demand that the

league set aside 55 percent of its gross revenue for player salaries, which would be paid on a seniority-based scale with performance incentive bonuses.

# Clampett Stretches Lead to 5 Shots in **British Open Golf**

Conmitted by Our Staff From Dispatches TROON, Scotland - Bobby Clampett shot a 6-under-par 66 and stretched his lead to five strokes Thursday after the second round of the British Open golf

Clampett, 22, who has threat-ened often but has yet to win on the PGA Tour, compiled a 36-hole total of 133, or 11 shots under par for the Royal Troon Links that stretches 7,067 yards beside the Firth of Clyde.

The score is within a single shot of the record established 48 years ago by Henry Cotton for the first two rounds of this event. "He has a good cushion, and that's important," said Tom Wat-

son, the U.S. Open title-holder.
"He can afford to make a few mis-Watson could do no better than

171 in milder weather than the bitterly-cold temperatures that hampered Thursday's play. He had a 140 total, four under par and seven strokes back.

"He's playing very well," Wat-son said of Clampett. "With good weather, it's going to be awfully hard to catch Bobby." Nick Price of Zimbabwe, the

leading amateur at Carnoustie, Scotland, in 1975, responded to the challenge with a 69 that put him at 138, five shots off the pace.

"I'm glad I'm not in the lead. I don't think I could handle it," said the 25-year-old Price, a journey man player of no particular distinction on the European tour. "If Clampett keeps on playing like this, nobody is going to catch

laus began his round. Nicklaus, who opened with a 77, played a 70 Friday and was three over par for the tournament. Arnold Palmer, who won the British Open at Troon 20 years ago, also was a late starter. Palmer,

Clampett posted his total more

than four hours before Jack Nick-

o had a first-round 71, shot a 73 Friday and was par for the tournament at 144. Bernhard Langer of West Germany, the runner-up in this event last year, and Des Smyth of Ire-

land shared third place among the early finishers. Each had a secondround 69. Langer, who has been troubled with his putter recently, has regained his touch here and had birdie putts of 10, 15, 20, 25 and

30 feet Friday.
"It was hard to believe when I looked at the leader board," said

Langer, who played the opening two rounds of the U.S. Open with Clampett, but missed the cut. "He really must have been hot today. He deserves to win. He's been playing well the last two years and he's got a very good chance to

Langer then added: "I'm still going to try to win the tournament. Six behind is a lot but on the other hand we still have 36 holes to

Sandy Lyle of Scotland was tied with Watson at 140. Lyle closed up with a 66 that included a birdieeagle-birdie burst beginning on the Peter Oosterhuis, an English-

man now living in California and Ken Brown of Scotland were next at 141. Oosterhuis shot a 67, Brown 71. Bill Rogers, the defending cham-

pion, was at 143 after a secondround 70 Craig Stadler and Curtis Strange were at 145. Stadler slipped to a 74

and Strange shot 73.

Larry Nelson improved to 69146. Johnny Miller was 76-147 and
Lee Trevino 72-150. Tom Weiskopf and Danny Edwards each had a 152 total. Weiskopf had a 73 and Edwards, with an 81, was 10 shots higher than his opening

Clampett, who birdied all of the par-5 holes Friday, has made only three bogeys in two rounds. "I'm playing as well, perhaps, as I ever have," he said. "I'm not real-

ly concerned with the lead. I'm concerned with scoring as low as I can for the next two rounds. My goal is to shoot the lowest score I can this week. If somebody can beat it, fine. If not, I win." Clampett, described himself as "a mechanic rather than an artist."

"I have always felt golf is a chal-lenge against yourself," he said. Even when out playing alone, I am not trying any less hard. It is a personal challenge." Clampett has carried extensive

leads in other tournaments, but never in such distinguished company. "During my last year in Brig-ham Young College I had three tournaments which I won by 11, 12 and 13 shots," he said. "My game strategy is the same

shots ahead. If the strategy alters, I am defeating myself right there." Outwardly Clampett takes everything his in his young stride. "But inside I am bubbly like crazy," he said. "I just try to stay cool

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ler, to the Toronto Blue Joys.

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sive tockle; and Bob Tho DALLAS COWBOYS-Signed Jeff Robrer. Inebocker.

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and Lebanon may be bad for people, but it has certainly helped the Rangell who runs a weapons' discount bazaar across the street from

the Pentagon, and he was writing up orders like "Everyone used to want sur-face ships," he complained. Now all they want is submarines. You can't

predict \_ people's tastes. I've got a warehouse of fri- Buchwald gates I can't give away ever since the French missiles sank the British ones." Who are your best customers

I went over to see Madman

now, Madman?" I asked.
"The Third World countries. They used to come in and buy a few used tanks and maybe a broken-down artillery piece. Now they want F-16 fighter jets, missile launchers, radar-controlled antiaircraft guns. I don't know where they get the money, but if it isn't top of the line, they're not interest-

"They're probably spending more on defense than they are on food, housing and creating jobs in their countries. "I don't ask questions. If their people can't eat it's not my prob-

"Obviously you're not being hurt by the recession.

You have to be kidding. Whoever heard of a recession stopping arms sales? A general from a Third World country came in the other day; nice guy, beautifully dressed in a new uniform; wanted a gross of heat-seeking missiles that could shoot down F-5 fighter planes.

While he was waiting to have them packed, I showed him our latest electrically controlled land mines. The guy went nuts for them and ordered 50 gross. Then he asked me if I had any howitzers? "I took him in the back and

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"Where did he get the money to pay for the stuff?"
"He went across the street to the Pentagon and explained he wanted it to kick the hell out of the Soviets. They wrote him out a check on

"You have a great location," I told Madman.

The best in Washington. Now here's the funny part. As soon as that general left, another general came in from the Third World country that borders the first general's. I told him what the other gry purchased and sold him an en-tire system to fool the heat-seeking missiles the first gny bought. Then I talked him into buying 1,000 mine detectors that could blow up the mines. I also sold the second general a long artillery piece that could knock out the 1982 howitzer. It was an \$80-million order."

You have a good business here," I told Madman. "I make a living. The beauty of it is that no country considers itself safe any more. The Reagan administration has cut down on eco-nomic aid to the Third World because you don't get a bang for it. But they're upping military aid to win the hearts and minds of their

An Israeli military attaché came

"What can I do for you, sir?" "I have \$65 million worth of Syrian and PLO weapons in my pickup outside, and I was wonder-

ing if you want to buy them." Madman Rangell went outside.

"It's all junk. There's no market for this stuff. I'll give you \$250 on a trade-in, and that's just because I'm a nice guy. What do you want

The attaché took out his list. "Forty planeloads of cluster bombs, 10,000 artillery shells and six AWACS." "Speak slower. I can't write it

down that fast."
The attache said he had some other errands and would pick up the order in the afternoon.

What are you going to do with all the Syrian and PLO used goods you bought?" I asked him. "I'll probably sell it to Bangladesh. I don't want it cluttering up

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# 400-Ton 'Island' Roils Landlubbers

California Shore-Gentry Stir Up New Waves in Sausalito Houseboat Wars

By Judith Cummings

New York Times Service
AUSALITO, Calif. —
"Forbes's Island," doesn't show up on maps around San Francisco, but its recent fame would make that redundant.

The island is a man-made dream refuge that a Sausalito contractor has floated into a bay a few miles north of the Golden Gate Bridge, a concrete house-boat outfitted with portholes, a gazebo, a hot tub, a waterfall, a sandy beach and guard dogs, to recount a little of what's above deck. The paim trees alone are enough to attract attention.

Forbes T. Kiddoo, a prospering building contractor, built the fantasy island and thus unwittingly roiled a stew of old resentments, conflicts of both class and style of living between Sausalito's diverse waterfront communities and adjacent moneyed enclaves of Marin County.

The bay front here is like an archaeological dig of American social phenomena. Layered onto its tidal flats and landscaped slopes are successive communities styled in Post-1950 Bohemian, Post-1960 Hippie, Yachting Trad-itional, Hillside Manor and Nouveau Condo, all co-existing with varying degrees of success.

Tax Question

As word began to circulate in recent weeks about Kiddoo's floating retreat, renewed local attention has focused on Richard-



son Bay and on the dozens of more modest houseboats anchored in it. Some land dwellers raised old questions about whether the houseboat people paid property taxes and other obigations required of land owners. and they complained about sew-

age in the bay. Richard Thalheimer, president of the Strawberry Point Homeowners Association, said the bay had become "the last remnant of the flower children era.

"As a property owner who's paying several thousand dollars a year in property taxes, I have to ask why these people are allowed to live here, not contributing anything to society," Thalheimer said. "I don't think that's right."

Now the Marin County govern-ment, citing increasing pollution and blight, has renewed its periodic attempts to clear the bay of the growing number of anchored dwellings. Al Aramburu, a county supervisor from the affluent hillide district of Tiburon, proposed that the 70 or so permanently anchored houseboats be required to moor at docks.

Howis of Protest

This evoked howls of protest. More than 100 people turned out for a public hearing. Many said they had no money to lease berths and, in any event, preferred the discreet pleasures of life at anchor in the sheltered bay. In the midst of all the contro-

versy, Forbes's Island has become a mysterious presence, and an invitation to it a coveted item.

Former guests talk about threeday parties, about private screenings of "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea" and about black-tie evenings entertained with ensemble performances of Bach and

Forbes T. Kiddoo's concrete houseboat boasts palm trees, beach and waterfall.

Kiddoo is close-mouthed about his intentions. He turned down a request for an interview, sayinghe first wanted to lay tons of crushed granite on the house-boat's deck as one of his finishing

'All the Niceties'

"It's got 15 rooms, a wine cellar, a treatment plant for sewage, all the niceties you have on an is-Kiddoo said, rushing through the telephone conversa tion. Twe been working on it for seven years. I know what it's supposed to look like and when it's going to be ready."

Asked what motivated a man to build and launch his own is-land, he said, "I've got imagina-

Aramburn said that if the ban he proposed was fully adopted. Forbes's Island would be outlawed and that, as an admirer of Kiddoo's project, he would regret that

"We'll get the right to move it, but where do you take it?" he said. "It weighs 400 tons." Aramburu acknowledged that he had been a guest on the island

and, like other guests, he said the full range of its accoutrements was nothing short of "opulent." "He's got Persian carpets, sev-eral pianos, a big bar out of a res-

taurant in San Francisco, four staterooms, three or four heads," the county supervisor said. "One night I was there we had a classical music evening — flute, strings, people were dressed in black tie and there was champagne for 30 or 40 people."

If Kiddoo has created a highly individualized habitat, the "alternative-lifestyle people," as they are known locally, counter that they have, too.

Tim Albertson, a houseboater who is a spokesman for some of the people now fighting displacement, attributed the conflict to 'strong class differential" among the communities.

"The homeowners keep complaining about we don't pay any he said. "God exacts the rent, in terms of when bad weather comes, you've got to go out and break your back to deal with

#### Uncertain Fate

The fate of Forbes's Island and the other houseboats remains un-certain. Aramburu has scheduled yet another round of public meetings. The Bay Conservation Development Commission shares some authority over Richardson Bay with the county, and Steven McAdam, an enforcement spe-cialist with the agency, said a quick resolution should not be exoccted.

"If there's a sentiment," he said, "it's that you solve the problem as a whole or it doesn't get

### PEOPLE VIP Campfire Days

Deep in a redwood forest outside San Francisco, some of the world's nchest and most powerful men are gathering in a secret annual rite of summer. Wearing hooded robes, they cluster around campfires in the cool, starry night, sharing jokes and silly amusements while a blazing icon symbolically burns away the world's troubles. In the odd setting along the Russian River Club's Encampment, West German Chancellor Helmant Schmidt will spend a few days with George Shultz, confirmed by the Senate on Thursday as secretary of state, and Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger. The all-male frolic takes place in a closely guarded 2,700-acre camp 75 miles north of San Francisco. The Bohemian Club, tricking the beautiful to the control of th which also has an elegant brick home in San Francisco, was founded in 1872 by newspapermen and artists, but their need for money after several years led them to admit the well-to-do, who have come to dominate the club. Current members include President Reagan, who has no plans to attend this encampment, former Presidents Gerald R. Ford and Richard Nixon, Vice President George Bush and Attorney General William French Smith. Shuttz will have Schmidt for the washend of host Schmidt for the weekend of July 23-25 - a vacation established long before Shultz was named to head the State Department. The club's literature contends the 17day summer camp at the Bohemian Grove is just for relaxation. Business talk is supposed to be for-bidden. Every Republican presi-dent since President Herbert Hoover, who once called it "the greatest men's party on earth," has attended the encampment. Nixon, a member since 1953, unveiled the "new Nixon" in a 1967 speech near the Grove's Owl Shrine that, he said, "marked the first milestone on my road to the presidency." The state of California has so far failed in anti-discrimination

There'll be no "jail memoirs" from Sophia Loren. "It is too personal. How could you write about something like that? It is for me to remember," the actress said of her 17 days in an Italian jail last month for tax evasion. Loren, 47,

suits to force the club to hire wom-

en at the camp. The club argued in

court that the presence of women

would force members to alter their

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"My jail sentence was not in vain It's something I will never forget. It was the ugliest experience of my life. I felt very much protected by the love and the fan mail that I received in the prison, that I received from people all over the world, not only my friends, my fans, but also from people that have a certain weight in society." The actress summoned reporters to say she bowed out of an Italian movie, whose producers may sue her, because delays threatened her other commitments. Loren is returning to the United States to star in a movie, "Success," with actor-director Burt Reynolds and a new version of playwright Temessee Williams "Rose Tattoo" for cable

"The opera has sex, violence, politics — everything," said John Haber, explaining why the New York City Lync Opera Company will open its fall season next No vember in a discotheque with a new rendering of a 340-year-old work that Claudio Monteverd penned at 75. Haber, the company's artistic director, said the updated version of the composer's "The Coronation of Poppea" is "pretty scholarly," but "we are only partly joking in calling it punk-Roman. It's very much a character piece about real people. including Emperor Nero. Toriquite sure Monteverdi would ap-

Although President Franklin D. Roosevelt once said-he would not want a monument bigger than his desk, Congress wants to build him one that would cover 8.8 acres The measure, approved by both houses, calls for a \$31-million memorial garden with waterfalls to honor the man who led the nation out of the Great Depression and to victory in World War II. It now goes to President Reagan. Since he died in 1945, the only FDR memorial in Washington, a city of mounments, has been a simple plaque near the National Archives. Congress has long felt, however, that the 32nd president deserved more - despite his own admonition. The FDR Memorial Commission has been trying since 1955 to find an appropriate memorial for Roosevelt, who won four terms and occupied the White House longer than any other president — from 1933 until 1945.

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